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BROADCAST A BIG SUCCESS

Andy Clarke Made A Big Hit—Program Time Extended 10 Minutes—Special Description Record Of Blossom Scene Made For Re-broadcasting—Of Great Advertising Value.

Grimsby was on the airwaves of Ontario and Quebec with a vengeance on Sunday morning last when Andy Clarke made his Neighborly News broadcast from the stage of the Roky theatre.

This popular and well-known broadcast is sponsored by the weekly newspapers of the two provinces, and when Andy came back to his old home town to go on the old it was his 320th consecutive broadcast of this program. Moreover last week all the weekly papers in Ontario and Quebec carried the news feature on their front pages, that Andy would make his broadcast from the town that gave him birth, nestled as it is at this time of year amid a great panorama of fragrant blossoms.

The program on Sunday was extended an extra 10 minutes. S. Reid Forsee, Supervisor of Talks Productions for the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation was in charge and opened the broadcast by briefly stating how and why Andy was in (Continued on page 3)

To Allow Use Of Red Tariatan

Growers Can Use Any Type Of Basket Cover They Decide Upon For 1946.

After several months of concerted effort by the Niagara Peninsula Fruit Growers Association on behalf of the growers to allow the use of red tariatan for heaped baskets, at last we have a definite decision on the matter as you will see by the following which is self-explanatory:

"OTTAWA, April 6 (CP).—An order-in-council ripping the red netting from peaches was published in The Canada Gazette last night.

The red netting, long a subject of complaint because of its ability to conceal defects of poor quality fruit, goes under the ban effective Sept. 1 after which 'no person shall use any reddish or orange-colored cover for heaped baskets of peaches.'

"In an interview Thursday night Agriculture Minister Gardiner said there had been a 'universal demand' to do away with the netting. He said he believed the Ontario (Continued on page 3)

Blossom Picture Causes Comment

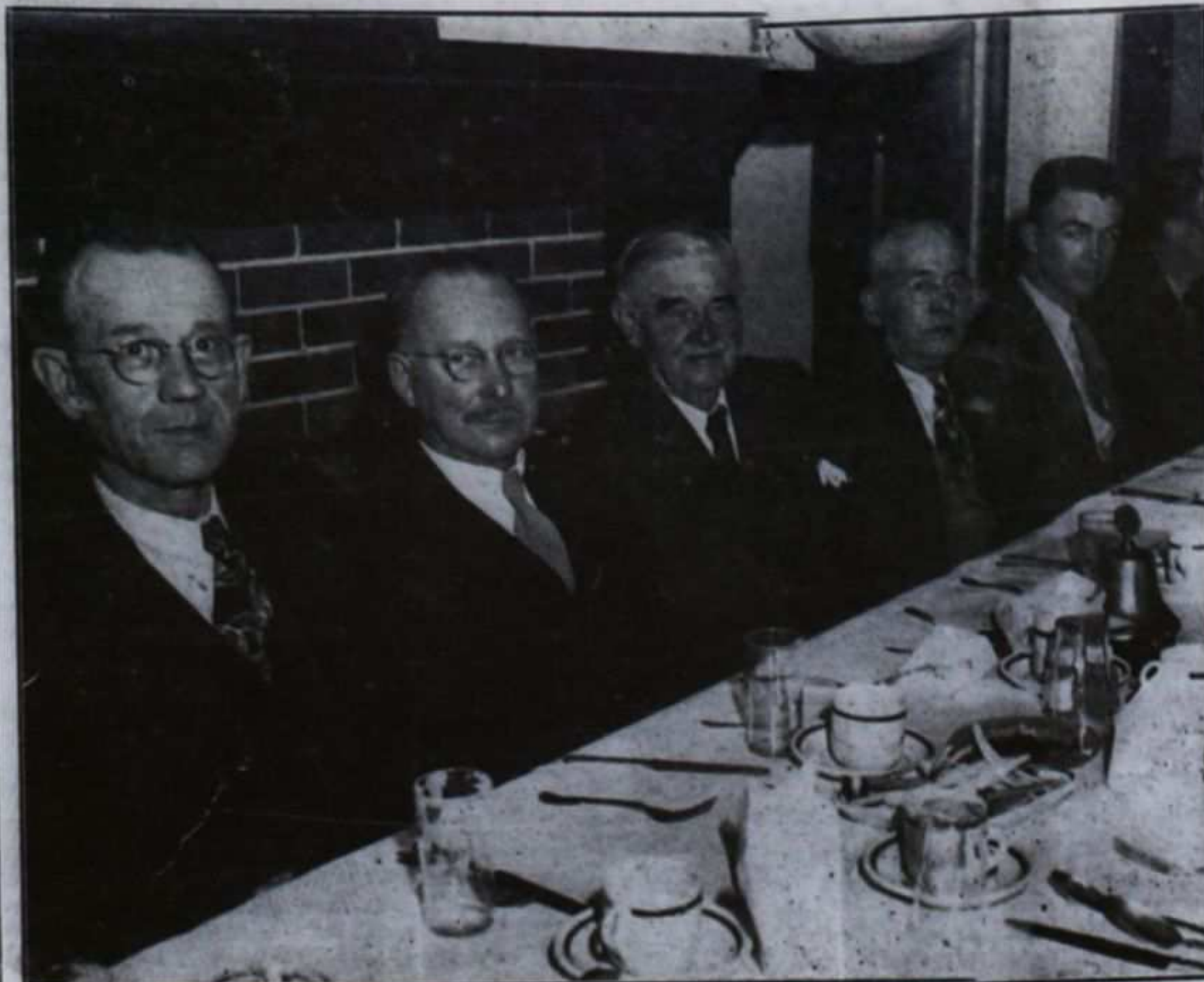
Little Cherub On Front Page Made People Ask Questions—She Is Now In The Air Force.



The baby-blossom picture that appeared on the front page of The Independent last week caused a lot of comment throughout the district. Thursday afternoon and Friday, Independent telephones were constantly ringing. People asking questions as to where we secured the photograph; who took it; who was the sweet little baby that nestled among the blossoms.

That little tad is a big lady now, so much so that she is just completing four years service in the R.C.A.F. (W.D.). She has a fine (Continued on page 3)

Municipal Officials At Servicemen's Banquet



This is a picture of the head table at the Civic Banquet tendered to Servicemen, in The Village Inn, two weeks ago. Reading from left to right, Rev. Francis McAvoy; Mayor Henry Bull; Councillor Wm. Michell; Reeve Charles W. Durham and Capt James Jenkinson.—Photo by E. Bruce Murdoch.

B. of E. To Hold Up School Plans

Requested To Do So By Department Of Education—New History Teacher Hired For High School.

Grimsby Board of Education which recently announced plans for erection of an addition to the local high school—estimated cost of which was said to be about \$75,000—has now been requested by the Ontario Department of Education to delay its plans until clarification of the province's proposed new county high school districts.

In this connection, board members have been informed, it was reported at last Wednesday night's meeting, that the Government favours the establishment of high schools to serve entire areas rather than individual municipalities and there is the possibility that the school for this area might be located elsewhere than at Grimsby.

Unless in special cases, only pupils who have attained an average of 70 per cent. or more on the year's work at high school will be permitted to leave school for farm work before the regular closing time.

R. C. Bourne and Russell Terry were appointed a grounds committee for allocation of the grounds for sports.

T. R. Branscombe, of Toronto, was engaged as history teacher on the high school staff, replacing Mrs. Jean Jones, who has resigned, effective at the end of the present term.

Materials Scarce

CONTRACTORS REFUSING MORE JOBS THAN THEY ARE TAKING

Thousands Visit Our Fairyland

Heaviest Blossom Time Traffic In Grimsby Fruit Belt Since Before The War—Only One Accident.

Sunday saw the heaviest Blossom traffic that Niagara peninsula highways have experienced since pre-war days.

From early morning until late in the evening both No. 8 highway and the Queen Elizabeth Way were lined with automobiles of all ages and descriptions, as people from far and near came to see the magnificent display of fruit blossoms.

Most drivers went through the blossom belt on one highway and returned via the other, making many side trips up and down side roads for close-up views of the orchards, and along the ridge road on the escarpment top for a panoramic view of the district.

The blossom display was exceptionally fine. While the sweet cherry bloom had practically disappeared, sour cherries were full out and the showing of peach blossoms was, according to residents of the district, one of the finest they have ever seen.

With cars homeward bound (Continued on page 3)

Shafer Bros. Have Many New Homes Under Construction But Could Handle Twice As Many If Supplies Were Obtainable.

"No one is able to estimate the amount of remodeling, repairing or new buildings that would be built this year, if suitable materials and labor were obtainable," stated Harvey Shafer of Shafer Bros. to The Independent on Monday.

Continuing, Mr. Shafer said "we have a lot of new work and remodeling on hand but owing to conditions we have refused more work than we have contracted for. All contractors are in the same boat. Look for a real building boom in the Grimsby district once suitable materials and sufficient labor is obtainable."

At the present time Shafer Bros. are remodeling the upper floor of the Uell home on No. 8 Highway east, which will be occupied by Chester and Mrs. Gibson, of Hamilton, former Grimsby people, who are coming back here to live.

New work under way includes a new seven room brick bungalow for Edward Bodman on the Third Road; the fine big new (Continued on page 3)

Fruit Production Outlook For 1946

Situation In Eastern Canada Is Difficult To Appraise—Prospects Are Excellent In British Columbia.

What about fruit prospects for 1946? It is too early to forecast with any degree of accuracy, the probable fruit production in Canada this year. The situation in Eastern Canada is particularly difficult to appraise in view of the abnormal 1945 season and its influence on this year's production, according to the Dominion Department of Agriculture. Reviewing fruit-growing conditions in 1945 and its probable effect on growth in 1946, the department says that in Eastern Canada grapes and strawberries fared well in 1945, but cold wet weather at blossom time drastically reduced the set of other fruit and was largely responsible for the small crops. Adverse weather conditions throughout the season and the inclination of growers to neglect the spray program because of a poor set of fruit, resulted in underdevelopment and a heavy infestation of fungus and insect pests. This lowered the vitality of trees, particularly of apple trees in parts of Ontario and Quebec and to extent to which orchards can recover is still undetermined.

RECONSTRUCTION OF SEWAGE PLANT WOULD COST \$89,000

Supplies Very Short

GRIMSBY BUTCHER SHOPS WILL REMAIN CLOSED ON WEDNESDAY

Blessing Of New Novitiate Home

Large Crowd Attends Impressive Ceremony On Sunday Afternoon—New Sisters Receive Religious Habits.

On Sunday, May 5th at 3 p.m., a large gathering of friends, well wishers, and visitors attended the opening ceremonies of the new Novitiate home of the Missionary Sisters of Christian Charity which was the former J. A. Jacklin residence on the No. 8 Highway, Main St. west, Grimsby. The opening service was conducted by Rev. Fr. Mark Romanovich, O.S.B.M., professor of Moral Theology, Basilian monastery in Grimsby and founder of the new congregation of Missionary Sisters, assisted by Rt. Rev. Joseph A. McDonagh, D.P., President of the Catholic Church Extension Society of Canada, Toronto, Rev. Fr. M. Ziac of Toronto, and Rev. Fr. N. Kohut, O.S.B.M. (Readers are referred to last week's Independent for more details as to the society's aim and work). Although the afternoon was slightly cool, spots of sunshine continued to break through and smile down upon the impressive rite of the open air ceremony.

The two new sisters, Sr. Stefany Yanyk and Sr. Emily Yanyk of Oakburn, Manitoba, are the first two members of the new religious congregation. They had previously received their religious habits in the morning in St. Mary's Church on the hill. These two young women are to be admired for their courage in sacrificing their homes and families to become the first (Continued on page 6)

High Honors Won By Grimsby Man

At a recent convention of the Ontario Society of Professional Photographers, Mr. Alex Whyte, of Grimsby Beach, was awarded two blue ribbons for excellence in portraiture.

This is really nothing new, as Mr. Whyte, who is at present managing the Thomas Studio, has already won many awards at exhibitions, and is recognized among his fellow photographers as one of the leading men in the profession.

Meat Situation Is Getting Worse—Shops Cleaned Out Over The Weekend—Retailers Have No Idea What Eventual Outcome Will Be.

The meat shortage situation in Grimsby is getting more acute all the time, so much so that the local butchershops will remain closed all day on Wednesday, instead of just the usual Wednesday afternoon closing.

The closing of the shops for the whole day is done with a view of conserving their short supplies for weekend sale.

Last weekend customers had to take just what they could get. Early in the day two of the shops were cleaned out of beef, pork, veal and lamb and had short supplies of smoked and cooked meats. The third shop was able to secure a limited supply of beef at noon on Saturday but by the time closing time came at night they were cleaned out.

With no cattle being slaughtered and the extra run on cooked meats, that commodity is also getting into the short supply column. Smoked meats are also on the shortage list.

Local butchers have no idea what the eventual outcome of the situation will be. They are doing all in their power to secure supplies but are not meeting with any too great a success.

Would Establish A Boys Town Here

Rev. Father Kohut Tells American Newspaper Of His Plans For Taking Care Of Youths.

The following article from the Youngstown (Ohio) Vindicator, is self-explanatory:

"Love boys and give them plenty to eat."

That's how Rt. Rev. Magr. Edward Flanagan describes the theory of Boys' Town and that's what Father Nicholas M. Kohut, O.S.B.M., means to do in his own Canadian replica of the famous city of youth.

Father Kohut, who has just completed a mission at Ukrainian Holy Trinity Church, explained his dream to local folks.

While he was a theological student at Rome, he saw boys stranded (Continued on page 5)

Engineer J. F. MacLaren Makes Comprehensive Report To Town Council On Whole Sewer Situation In The Town—Would Separate Sanitary And Storm Sewers—Present Disposal Plant Not Capable Of Handling Present Flow.

Town Council had a long, four hour sitting last night, two hours of which they listened to a very comprehensive report by Engineer James F. MacLaren, of the firm of Gore and Storrie, who have been engaged for the past six months or more in making a complete survey of the sewage system and the balance of the town with a view to constructing sewers.

According to the report the present sewage disposal plant is only capable of handling in the neighborhood of 85,000 to 150,000 gallons a 24 hour day, and was only built in 1930 to service 193 acres, whereas the town comprises over 600 acres. Also the plant is not modern and complete enough to take care of the present sewage requirements, owing principally because when the sewage system was built sanitary sewers and storm sewers were combined which is not the best system as it causes the disposal plant to become overloaded with all kind of silt and dirt from the storm water.

(Continued on page 12)

Will Not Install Wig-Wag System

Opposition Of Beamsville Council Causes Road Committee To Withdraw Application.

Lincoln County road committee under the chairmanship of Reeve Charles W. Durham of North Grimsby met in special session on Tuesday afternoon and decided to have Clerk Millward write the Dominion Railway Board withdrawing the application of the committee for the installation of a wig-wag and flasher signal at the C.N.R. station at Beamsville.

The committee took this action because the majority of Beamsville Village council were not in favor of providing a share of the expense of operating the new safety system.

Had the signals been installed the cost of operation would have been borne by the county, Beamsville and Clinton township.

The committee also decided to purchase a new heavy tonnage road roller as the old steam roller has seen better days and is now practically useless.

Here is a Study of Expression



Town and Township Servicemen were in a jovial mood when this picture was snapped by E. Bruce Murdoch, at the Civic Banquet tendered to men and women of the forces, at The Village Inn, two weeks ago. The boys are listening to the entertainers and from the

expression on their faces are thoroughly enjoying the show, particularly "Old Tom" Warner and "Little Joe" Hands. That is "Little Joe" on the floor being guarded by "Old Tom."

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FACTS & FANCIES

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

GRIMSBY WILL BENEFIT

It is not often that I blow my own horn, and I am not going to toot it very loud here, but the fact still remains that the Andy Clarke broadcast from the Roxy theatre on Blossom Sunday was an absolute success, from a Grimsby standpoint.

I was tickled to death, on Sunday night, when I lay in my bed with a pair of wearied out legs, to have telephone calls from Weekly Newspaper Editors at widely separated points in Ontario, congratulating Grimsby on putting that broadcast over.

I was extremely pleased to have a call from Hugh Templin, Editor of the Fergus News-Record, and President of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association. Those calls were not only a tribute to me, but also to "little Dyke" Lawson, The Independent and to the whole Grimsby district.

Do not forget that 600 weekly newspapers throughout Ontario and Quebec, a week previous to the broadcast, through information sent out by the C.B.C. carried news stories on their front pages, that Andy Clarke was going to broadcast Neighborly News from the town that gave him birth, Grimsby. Then on top of that C.B.C. extended the broadcast time 10 minutes. Then on Monday night over the C.B.C. coast-to-coast network of News Round-up the special description record of Capt. Bob. Kesner went over the airwaves.

Grimsby and district should, and no doubt will, benefit immensely from this broadcast and all its side issues. Why should it not? Is not Grimsby the greatest town in the Dominion of Canada?

Is not our district the finest, the loveliest, the most salubrious to live in?

That is the reason that The Independent fought, battled and finally brought Andy Clarke and his famous program here. Just to tell the world on the air 'who, what' and where we are. I believe we succeeded in our effort.

I just want to mention the little fact of co-operation. The Independent got it from every direction from the C.B.C. boys. There was nothing that could be done that they were not willing to do. They were just as much behind this project, once the contact was made, as The Independent was.

I still think that Grimsby is badly in need of a Chamber of Commerce.

SOME GOOD ADVICE

Thomas Jefferson, author of the American Declaration of Independence, and President of the United States from 1801-9, was a man of definite opinions. More than a century ago he made a set of rules applicable to daily life, and they are as worth of consideration today as they were during his lifetime. Here is his advice:

1. Never put off until tomorrow what you can do today.
2. Never trouble another for what you can do for yourself.
3. Never spend your money before you have it.
4. Never buy what you do not want, because it is cheap; it will be dear to you.
5. Pride costs us more than hunger, thirst, and cold.
6. We can never repent of having eaten too little.
7. Nothing is troublesome that we do willingly.
8. How much pain have cost us the evils that have never happened.
9. Take things always by their smooth handle.
10. When angry count ten, before you speak; when very angry, a hundred.

We suggest that you profit by the experience of this famous man. If you take heed of his sayings life will become more pleasant.

It is certainly a dog's life in Berlin. They are actually stealing the pets for food sale on the black market.

THE FARM IMPLEMENT DEBATE

The price of farm machinery has gone up 12 3/4%. Thirty seven speakers took part in the House of Commons debate on the price increase. The basis of the argument was that this was a product used by farmers, and regardless of rising costs of production and a more than 50% increase in wage rates there should be no increase in prices of farm implements unless prices of farm products were raised by an equivalent amount.

When in doubt go back to the facts—note carefully certain changes in prices: Prices of fully and chiefly manufactured goods increased 25% between 1939 and 1945. That somewhat cryptic figure means that \$1.00 in 1939 would buy a volume of manufactured products for which, in 1945, the price would be \$1.25. This deals not with agricultural implements only but with the average prices of all manufactured goods including, of course, agricultural implements.

What about farm products. On the same basis, farm products for which the farmer received \$1.00 in 1939, brought him \$1.64 in 1945—the fractions are left out in these calculations.

Now don't rush to conclusions, for years farm products have been desperately low in price. Agriculture has gone through a period of debt and disaster. Through the recent price increases it has literally dug itself out of the hole and it has been a mighty difficult task. If governments and business men are alive to their own interests they will make agriculture the primary concern of our economic policy. Without a prosperous agriculture there cannot be a prosperous Canada.

Now let us put the whole story in on table. We shall first measure the changes in agricultural implements in comparison with products wholly and chiefly manufactured, with wage rates in the farm implement industry and with farm products. With all the facts in one table we shall have a clearer vision of what happened.

The figures in the table are index numbers—that is we start from a base price using the figure 100 to represent the price level of 1939—the figures which follow show the increase in later years:

| Year | Agricultural Implements | Fully and Chiefly Mfg. Goods |
|------|-------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1939 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| 1940 | 102.5 | 108.2 |
| 1941 | 106.8 | 117.9 |
| 1942 | 112.4 | 122.9 |
| 1943 | 112.4 | 123.6 |
| 1944 | 112.4 | 124.2 |
| 1945 | 108.9 | 124.7 |

| Year | Wage Rates in Agr. Imp. Industry | Farm Products |
|------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| 1939 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| 1940 | 106.1 | 104.4 |
| 1941 | 117.6 | 110.7 |
| 1942 | 136.7 | 128.3 |
| 1943 | 151.9 | 149.0 |
| 1944 | 152.5 | 160.0 |
| 1945 | 154.1 | 164.0 |

This table tells the tale. There is only one item, so far as I know where the price advance between 1939 and 1945 has been less than in agricultural implements. I refer to farm fertilizers where the advance was only fractional. If there has been a greater in-

crease in industrial wage rates than has taken place in factories producing agricultural implements it is not shown in recent records. Look once more at this table. Through the war years, when other prices were rising, note how close to the pre-war level stood the price of farm implements. The farmers want fair treatment for themselves, they are entitled to it—they have had a rough ride in the past. They know, if Members of Parliament and, at times, Cabinet Ministers, do not, that higher wage rates increase the cost of production and this must be met by higher prices.

I go one step farther. There is a special index of commodities used by farmers. It is published by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. From the figures given I have worked out the percentage changes in the following items between the average of 1939 and January 1946:

| Products | Percentage Increase |
|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Agr. Implements | 8.9% |
| Seeds | 77.4% |
| Feed | 61.8% |
| Gasoline, oil and Grease | 23.0% |
| Bldg. Material | 61.2% |
| Hardware | 17.3% |
| Binder Twine | 34.8% |
| Farm Labor | 110.8% |

There are the facts as they stand. From their experience farmers know how costs of production have risen in their own business, they will appreciate the efforts of those, who despite difficulties and higher costs of production, have limited increases to relatively small advances over the 1939 level.

Price control has its value. Slowly we are finding out that two and two make four and if costs of production are increased prices must rise or people will go without the things they want.

WE ARE GROWING OLD

The average Canadian looks upon our nation as being a young one. And perhaps it is, according to some standards. But according to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, we are rapidly getting old.

According to the Bureau's calculations, by 1966 there will be more Canadians over 35 years of age than under it. At the present time there are a million Canadian babies under four, and some 800,000 men and women over 65 years of age.

By 1971, at the present rate of births and deaths, we will have 900,000 babies and 1,500,000 old people.

Canada, like every other country where the birth and death rates drop, will find its population aging on the average, and the results of such a change will have a profound effect upon its economy as well as upon its general attitude towards life. But we can only overcome this trend towards old age by producing more babies.

Another vital change in our national characteristics, and a more fearful one to contemplate, is our present trend towards female domination. Today there are more men than women, with the exception of the very old.

But by 1971, the statistics tell us, there will be more women than men in all age groups above 50 years of age. And still later on, this feminine trend will show up in all younger groups as well.

Of course, all these statistics are based on present-day trends, which may be changed temporarily by greatly increased immigration. But Governments, for some reason or other, seem to be shying clear of immigration policies, or perhaps more correctly speaking, there are too many people of influence with selfish interests and personal axes to grind, who want plenty of room to fulfill their ambitions.

The only permanent way this feminine trend can be changed is by greatly boosting our birth rate, and that is something Canadians of this day and generation have turned thumbs down on. Consequently they deserve to suffer, and we hope we are spared to see it.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Sir—

You will find a dollar for a few copies of your paper. I have not been able to find out its name until I heard it on Andy Clarke's programme Sunday morning. I have had Grimsby on my mind all spring as a possible location, as we want to retire from business.

My husband and I have had a grocery business here for 25 years and would like to retire to a smaller place, and preferably near the water.

Mrs. A. Finlayson,
578 William St., London, Ont.
Smithville, May 6th.

Dear Orlon—

Sure glad to hear your introduction of Andy Clarke over the air yesterday morning. You did a grand job, J.O.L. I have listened to Andy Clarke for a long time but did not know Grimsby was his home. If I had ever known he was at Grimsby yesterday I sure would have been down there. I would have got a seat some place; I am sure you would have looked after that.

I haven't forgotten the part you played in Smithville's Old Boys' Reunion 25 years ago. And by the way, we are having another Old Boys' Reunion in connection with our Fair this fall.

How is Grimsby, anyway? I have many fond memories of the days I spent there with Jack Van-Dyke in his factory.

I am enclosing \$2.00 for your paper. Best wishes.

M. B. Cosby.

354 Jarvis Street,
Toronto 5, Ontario,
May 6, 1946.

Mr. J. Orlon Livingston,
Editor,
The Grimsby Independent,
Grimsby Ontario.

Dear Mr. Livingston—

"The shouting and the tumult die; the Captains and the Kings depart"—Andy Clarke has left Grimsby and is back in Toronto again! This is just a line to say "thank you" to you and to all your friends and associates who, along with you, did so much to make our visit to Grimsby an outstanding success.

Your painstaking attention to the details of the preliminary arrangements meant a great deal to us in connection with our part in this enterprise. The recordings made at Mr. Woolverton's came out extremely well—and, as for Andy's broadcast in the morning, comments have been more than enthusiastic from every quarter.

We are very pleased that, thanks to your suggestion that Andy broadcast from Grimsby on Blossom Sunday, we have been able to meet so many of his friends there and to show that the CBC is really anxious to work for and with our listeners.

This letter would not be complete without special mention of Constables Bill Gillings and Ted Hope of the Ontario Provincial Police. Their interest and help was greatly appreciated. After all, police assistance is a wonderful thing—especially on Blossom Sunday.

With kind regards and sincere good wishes,
Yours very truly,
Reld W. Forsee,
Talks Production Department.

Editor,
Grimsby Independent.

Dear Sir—

Heard Andy Clarke's broadcast this morning and thought the whole idea splendid. If the enclosed is of any use to you, would you kindly send me a copy.

Yours sincerely,
William McClure,
167 Ross St.
Welland.

Another winter's come and gone
And now's the time when blossoms blow
To cheer our hearts, delight our eyes
With nature's annual fashion show.

The lovely buds and blossoms rare
That greet our view on every side
Reflect with joy the sunshine's smile
And fill our hearts with awe and pride.

The stately trees stretch out their boughs
To welcome all within their shade;
While flowers and shrubs in splendour too
Entrance our view in green arrayed.

The jaded city dweller now
His pilgrimage once more begins,
And leaves the glamour of the streets
To feast his eyes on sylvan scenes.

This favored section of our land
Displays profusely nature's grace.
The "miracle" has come again
To cheer and bless the human race.

Those who eat to live will live and eat a long time, but those who live to eat will neither live nor eat very long.

Speaking of being prepared for whatever might come, Rt. Hon. A. V. Alexander, First Lord of the Admiralty, declares: "We ought resources entailed in war, that a weak Britain is not an aid to peace."

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CONTINUATIONS

From Page One

THOUSANDS VISIT

early in the evening, a traffic count at Grimsby, police said, showed that they were passing through Grimsby at the rate of 2,000 an hour on the Queen Elizabeth Way alone. No. 8 highway did not have as heavy traffic at that time, but it was estimated that at least 1,000 cars an hour were passing a given point.

While police said that "hundreds" of motorists had tire trouble during the day, only one serious accident was reported.

BLOSSOM PICTURE

mother, two fine sisters and a five year serviceman brother, and all that is wrong with her father is that he is a newspaperman.

That little baby is L.A.W. Barbara Murdoch, and not Ann Marie as so many people thought it was. The photographer, naturally was her Daddy, E. Bruce Murdoch, crack news photographer and reporter of The Hamilton Spectator.

We are not going to tell you how long ago that picture was taken, but it certainly was not last week. We believe that it is positively the finest Blossom Time photo that has yet been produced. If you study that picture you can quite easily see that Bruce spent a lot of time and energy to get the results that he achieved.

TO ALLOW USE

agricultural department would co-operate with his department in carrying out the order."

The following is a letter dated March 26 from Col. Hon. Thomas L. Kennedy, provincial minister of agriculture:

"Mr. J. R. Stork,
"President, N.P.F.G. Assn.,
"St. Catharines, Ont.

"Dear Mr. Stork.—As far as the Ontario government is concerned you will be able to use red tartarian or any other cover that you may decide upon for the year 1946. In case no more red tartarian can be purchased then a date will be set on the advice of the peach growers, after which no more red tartarian will be used.

"Yours very truly,
"Thomas L. Kennedy,
"Minister of Agriculture."

"It was felt that the fruit growers should be informed of the latest developments on this important question and the Fruit Growers Association executive have, therefore, asked that this information be forwarded to all those on the Spray Service list.

"Respectfully yours,
"J. R. Stork, President,
"Niagara Peninsula Fruit Growers Association."

BROADCAST

Grimsby and then introduced J. Orion Livingston, Editor of The Independent, who in turn introduced his old pal and friend of many years standing, Andy Clarke. Owing to the extra time allotted the program Andy was on the air for a longer period than usual and gave a very graphic description of Grimsby and the Fruit Belt in Blossom season, also statistics as to the amount of fruit grown and shipped and processed from the Grimsby district.

There is no doubt that this broadcast was of inestimable advertising value to this district.

Also present from the C.B.C. in Toronto was Supervisor of Re-Broadcast R. K. Anderson and Miss Chapple of the Administration Division. Capt. Robert Kesner was on the job with a recording truck.

On the platform of the theatre was Mayor Henry Bull, Reeve Charles W. Dunham, ex-Mayors Charles T. Farrell and Edric S. Johnson, Counsellor Wm. Mitchell and N. J. M. Lockhart, M.P. for Lincoln. The theatre was comfortably filled particularly with older people who knew Andy "Way Back When."

After the broadcast Mr. Harold C. Woolverton and Miss Ann Crane conducted the party on a tour of the orchards and beauty spots of the district and Capt. Kesner made a descriptive record of the kaleidoscopic panorama. This record was broadcast from C.B.C. on the C.B.C. News Round-up at 10.15, Monday night.

The Independent is very thankful to Andy and all the C.B.C. staff for their great co-operation in helping to put this Blossom Time feature over. It was a big success and the credit goes to the C.B.C. boys.

MUCH BUILDING

home of Earl J. Marsh on Kingsway boulevard and a six room storey and a half brick veneer house on St. Andrew's Ave. for John Reekie; also the new, large bungalow for Wm. A. Hewson on the corner of Murray street and Queen Elizabeth Way.

Gilbert Adams Ryerson has constructed a new home on Central avenue, Grimsby Beach, and Shafers are building a new extension

to the factory of E. J. Gadsby and Son, at the Beach.

Mrs. Amber Wolfenden, Main west, is making an extensive addition to her home and Leonard J. Eames, of Hamilton, is building a new eight room bungalow on the Golf Club property at Grimsby Beach, overlooking the hospital grounds and the fruit land below.

J. A. Jacklin will build a new seven room bungalow at the corner of Kingsway boulevard and Melrose avenue, on the Aitchison survey.

Down at Vineland, Paul Rittenhouse is erecting a new eight room bungalow.

Merritt Bros. are building a new boiler house to their factory on Victoria avenue and a new smoke stack 80 feet high.

On the lake front, on Fairview survey, Gordon Buscher, is building a four room stucco cottage.

FRUIT PRODUCTION

Growers are making every effort to restore trees to normal vigour by careful pruning, the application of fertilizers, and a thorough spray program this season. The mild winter was helpful, although the warm weather during the last three weeks of March brought the buds along prematurely and there is still a possibility that late frosts may cause some damage. Weather condition alone will determine not only the extent to which trees will recover from the effects of last season but also the size of the 1946 crop.

British Columbia produced a record crop of tender tree and small fruits in 1945 although the apple crop was somewhat smaller than usual. Prospects for 1946 so far are excellent. B.C. orchards wintered well, moisture supplies are good and, if weather conditions are favourable, there should be another good crop of all fruits with a substantial increase in apple production over 1945.

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SPORTOLOGY

(By Bones Livingston, Sportologist)

REAL ENTHUSIASM IN LOCAL BASEBALL—Never in the history of the FRUIT BELT has there been as much enthusiasm in softball, baseball and other sports as is being exhibited this Spring, especially among the younger fry. GRIMSBY BOARD OF EDUCATION has been swamped with applications for the use of the Public and High school grounds and wishing to co-operate in the development of sporting activities have appointed Robert C. Bourne and Russell Terry, as a special committee to consider these applications and allot dates and playing hours for all teams. At the present moment there are not enough evenings in the week to accommodate all teams that have made written and verbal applications. The committee will meet on May 15th, to consider all applications on hand at that time and playing hours and dates will be allotted at that time covering the whole season. This action on the part of the Board of Education is to be commended and all organizations must do their part in order that an equitable amount of playing time be granted to all teams. Also they must be willing to give the younger teams, especially the High-School hard ball team, a preference if such happens to be a necessity. We must give the kids a chance to come on. The older fellows have had their day anyway.

HE'S IN OVER HIS EARS—The die is cast. BIG RUSH is back in the limelight. On Monday night he entered the GRIMSBY HIGH SCHOOL hardball team in the Juvenile series of the Ontario Baseball Association. At the present moment RUSH does not know whether the local ball tossers will be playing in the Hamilton group or some other group, but he has the promise of the O.B.A. officials that if they are lucky enough to get into the playdowns that all their games will be against teams from small villages and towns. It is over 25 years since Grimsby has had a hardball team. Previous to that this burg always had a team of hickory welders that could be counted upon to cause a lot of grief and woe in any man's ball lot. Now BIG RUSH is going all out in an effort to bring hardball back in the FRUIT BELT. He is only one man, and of necessity needs help in order to bring this team of juveniles up to a top-ranking position. Donations from interested parties will be gladly received and also assistance of any other kind. Let's get behind these kids and give them a real boost towards making them real ball players.

WOMEN ARE SURPRISING—One never knows what some of those sweet femmes will do. Take that VICEROY team in the PEACH QUEEN'S league for example. They land on top of the heap in the regular schedule of play. Five points ahead of their nearest competitor and then in the first of the play-offs for the METAL CRAFT trophy blow up like a balloon to the GOLDEN DROPS. High score on either team was MARGARET ARMSTRONG'S 235. . . . LITTLE MARY NORTON and her VALIANTS put the VIMY team out of the picture. In their second game VALIANTS totalled 1001. MARGARET BONHAM was high bowler of the battle royal. She had a 209 and a 283. . . . DORIS McBRIDE and her VEDETTE'S went down to defeat at the hands of the ST. JOHN team. . . . Semi-final games are on the tapis for tonight with the finals to be bowled some time next week. . . . PEACH QUEEN'S Banquet will be held at The Inn on May 29th Will the SOUTH HAVENS be present?

FILLING JIMMY DUNHAM'S BOLOGNA SUPPLY — MENS BOWLING league went to town in a terrific way at their annual banquet in The Village Inn on Wednesday night last. When the boys got done eating the CHEF didn't have enough left in the kitchen to feed a mouse. They certainly are great bowlers around the festive board. PREXY MERT ZIMMERMAN was in good form and gave the boys a hearty welcome. This columnist acted as toastmaster for the evening and SECRETARY JIM SHACKLETON presented a very fine financial report. New officers elected are BOB SNELL as President and E. M. COMFORT as Secretary. Councillor HOWARD INGLEHART presented the GLEDHILL AND INGLEHART trophy to the champion GENERALS team that had been led to Victory by CAPT. HAMMY FOX. He also presented to each of the six players a small replica of the real silver trophy, when they will be able to purchase it. Each player's name will be engraved on the cups. For the High Average for the season HAMMY FOX won the \$15 donated by GORDON HANNAH. His score was 231. LLOYD HAYNES won the High Single with 404 and received \$10 from MR. HANNAH. LITTLE WHIZZER KANMACHER was the winner of the High Triple and received \$5. GENERALS copped the big end of the roll-off prize money with a high point score of 16,113. GAS HOUSE were second with 15,952. In the consolation series IRON DUKES were winners with 14,512 and PONY EXPRESS were second with 14,377. The boys had a big night and things look bright for a big season in 1946-47. At any rate the league has good officials in charge. . . . HAMMY FOX rolled a 351 last week to win the War Savings Stamps in the adults class with VICKIE METCALFE winning the women's division with 240. For the teen-agers LEE SMITH for the fourth time took down the stamps with 325 for the boys and Allison Jeffries won for the girls with 216.

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Lawn Bowling

A real close game was played Friday night when Tom Langton's First United just nosed out Grimsby by a score of 19 to 17, winning 11 ends to nine. The rinks:
Grimsby—Art Clark, Bert Harvey, Brock Snyder, Dave Alton—17.
First United—Bert Northey, Ed Hughes, William Groves, Tom Langton—19.

Money talks, but nowadays a ten dollar bill doesn't seem to have as commanding a voice as it once did.

Play-Off Games

Thursday, May 9th

CUP PLAY

7.30—St. John vs. Golden Drop.

7.30—Valiant vs. Victory.

Consolation

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When horses are set to work, however, their efforts make them hot; and if they were blanketed in a great mantle of hair they would sweat intolerably, and then, having to stand still for long intervals, would run the risk of severe chills before their coats dried. So we clip their coats for their comfort while at work, throw a rug over their loins when they are standing in the open in harness, and at night give them blankets to take the place of Nature's protective covering. Thus the horse is prevented from being overheated when at its toil, and safeguarded against cold when at rest.

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VERBATIM ADDRESS

In all directions we are able to see the members of the generation to which the future of Canada must be entrusted, committing crimes hardly less atrocious than those of the Gestapo.

"At this point to one conclusion. Something in the setup of our national life is terribly wrong. Some action must be taken to correct this situation. One solution to this problem has already presented itself. In Quebec, the other day, a magistrate sentenced two men to life imprisonment for a series of drug store robberies. When questioned about the serious nature of the sentence in relation to the crime he stated that something had to be done as the present crime wave had continued for some time. In other words, he proposed to instill in potential criminals a fear of the law, which would cause them to think twice before venturing from the straight and narrow path. Rule by fear! Will this system work? Its short-comings were illustrated by Hitler, who adopted this method of crushing the people of conquered Europe. The resistance which rose against him proved it to be a failure.

There is however a simpler solution to this problem. It lies not in the re-education of these criminals through fear, but in putting these boys on the right path in early life. It simply boils down to dealing with the much discussed problem of juvenile delinquency. When I read the account of the shooting of the Montreal policeman by those youths, I said to myself, "There, but for the grace of God, go I." Yes, there, but for the grace of God, might go any youth in this room, between the ages of 18 and 20. Thanks to a proper bringing up and the right home atmosphere, most of us of that age can look with horror upon such deeds. But what of those who have not had the advantage of a good home and a proper education? What of the loafers and misfits who roam the streets at night or spend their time in smoke-filled pool-rooms? "Oh yes," you may say, "in other places one is likely to find—." And there you have one of the main reasons that nothing is done about this problem. The people of Hamilton deplore the situation in Toronto and Montreal. The people of Toronto deplore the situation in Montreal and Hamilton, and so on, but they fail to see the problem which is right there in their midst! In every village, town and city in Canada, juvenile delinquency has reached its highest point in many years!

The question now is, "what can be done?" During this last war, much was done by the Red Cross, the Salvation Army and various other agencies to provide our country's fighting men with recreation in their off hours. The soldiers, sailors and airmen were well provided for. Canteens were opened by the hundreds. If this could be done for the armed services during the national emergency when every hand was needed to win the war, why could it not be done in peace time for our juveniles when there are many hands idle? If one half the number of canteens opened for our soldiers were now open for further use by our youth, think what a blow it would be to delinquency. Let us now review a few causes of delinquency.

One of the main causes is the lack of recreational facilities for youth. On Friday and Saturday evenings many of Canada's young people are found wandering the streets because they have nothing better to do. There is an old saying that the devil will find work for idle hands. In this case nothing could be more true. Unless some type of recreation is found for



WINS AIR AWARD: Grant W. C. McConachie, general manager of Canadian Pacific Air Lines for western lines, and a pioneer in Far North aviation, who has been awarded the McKee Trophy for 1945, for his outstanding contribution to commercial flying in Canada.

these young people they will find something for themselves, that "something" in most cases will be outside the law! It is up to service clubs like the one meeting here tonight to open youth centres and canteens throughout the country to provide recreation for these youngsters.

Another main cause of juvenile delinquency is the delinquency of parents, not only those chronic offenders who spend the majority of their time in hotels and bars, but also those who thoughtlessly allow their children too much leeway in early life. A child is not mature until it reaches the age of 21 years. If allowed, in early life, a free hand in choosing its pleasures, it will choose those which it enjoys. Often those choices are wrong! Another type of problem child is the one who continually disregards parental authority. Parents who overlook this are encouraging bad behaviour. A general tightening of home discipline would considerably cut delinquency.

I have tried briefly to show you the great need for some type of youth guidance in our country. If you need more proof, simply pick up any newspaper and read of the many crimes committed daily by Canadian youth. The abolition of delinquency will not be easy, but it must be done speedily for every idle evening passed under these evil conditions brings disaster one step closer for some misguided youth.

My hope is that through zeal and co-operation the conditions in our country which ultimately cause the perpetration of such crimes as the shooting of that Montreal policeman may be permanently obliterated. Then let us proceed, ladies and gentlemen, to find the good in the worst, and obliterate the bad in the best, that all may mature and become citizens worthy of our Canadian heritage.

WOULD ESTABLISH

in an indifferent world.

Then he visited the room where St. John Bosco lived. St. John Bosco was the Italian saint who spent his life working with children.

"It seems to me that the need is still great," Father Kohut explains. After he was assigned to work in Canada, he found a great need for work with children. He began a summer camp for boys at Grimsby on Lake Ontario.

There were only half a dozen the first year. Last year the number was up to 25 and this summer 60 applications are already in.

Father Kohut has a house for youngsters. He has beds and other equipment.

"I'm starting out in a big way," he laughs. "Father Flanagan began with only \$90—and that was borrowed money."

In a short time—two years at the most—Father Kohut hopes to make the summer camp a year-round affair. He has talked with Father Flanagan about it; they still write each other.

"We are certain," Father Kohut said, "that it is better to foresee and prevent from harm those who are inclined to it than to correct and punish when very often it may be too late."

Prosperity is a period in a nation's life when the average man has more money than sense.

Summer is that period when it takes a man twice as long to teach a pretty girl to swim as an ugly one.

A medico says there are only eight bones in a skull, but we have run across many a head which acted as if all bone.

SEEKS CLOTHING: Redverson F. Pratt, executive director of the National Clothing Collection for overseas relief, to be held June 17-29 under the auspices of Canadian Allied Relief. Mr. Pratt, who took an active part in the 1945 clothing drive, is on loan from the Dominion Department of Labor and is busy now organizing committees throughout Canada for this nation-wide effort to aid the distressed peoples of war-devastated Europe.



A Call to Action

addressed to All Members of the Church of England in Canada by
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and the Churches in Europe in their work of rehabilitation, for providing youth training and leadership, and for assisting all Dioceses in meeting their local needs.

The Appeal was launched in our Churches on the Feast of the Epiphany, Sunday, January 6th, and will continue till May 19th. In its spiritual aspects it has already reached the homes of our people and its programme will continue over years to come.

During the week of May 12th to 19th, every member of the Church of England in Canada, so far as possible, will be visited by a fellow member, authorized to receive contributions to the \$4,300,000 fund needed to carry out the financial program.

I bespeak from every one of our members and friends the earnest, prayerful consideration of this urgent need. I am confident that if every individual does his and her part, the combined objective of spiritual enrichment and financial support will be fully achieved.

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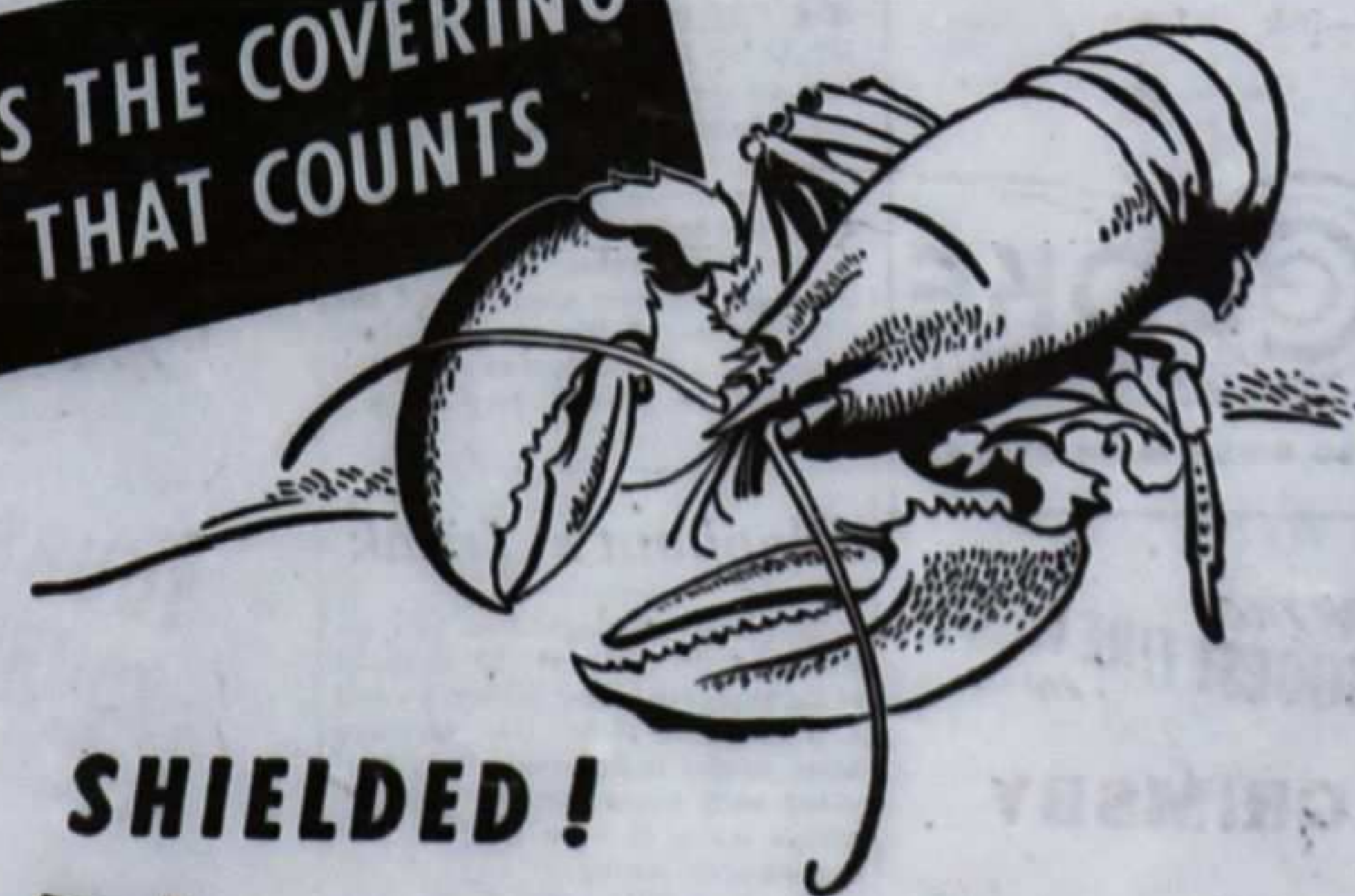
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The first part of the ceremony included the blessing of the new home when Fr. Romanovich left the improvised outside altar, entered the building and blessed the various rooms with holy water. The ceremony was concluded with the presentation of crucifixes, lighted candles, and keys of the new home to each of the first two sisters. This was symbolic of the wise virgins of the gospel who entered into the bridal chamber of Christ their Lord.

Rev. Fr. N. Kohut, O.S.B.M., then read a series of written greetings and telegrams from various parts of Canada wishing the new sisters good success in their new enterprise. Amongst the good wishes were: Most Rev. Basil Ladyka, O.S.B.M., of Winnipeg, Bishop Ordinary for the Ukrainian Catholics of Canada, Very Rev. B. Baranyk, O.S.B.M., of Mundare, Alberta, Provincial Superior of the Basilian Fathers, the Redemptorist Fathers, Yorkton, Sask., Rev. B. G. Shumay, Winnipeg, Rev. Fr. Semchuk, Winnipeg, Rev. W. Shewchuk and Rev. M. Gnesko of Mundare, Alberta, Rev. Wm. Moss, O.M.I., Kenora, Ontario, Capt. Wm. Bossy, Montreal, and others. After reading these congratulatory missals, a

short devotional service was sung to the Blessed Virgin Mary—in which her protection and care over the new foundation were sought. A picture of the Sacred Heart of Mary had been hung up for the occasion.

Fr. Kohut then proceeded to call upon a series of representative speakers. Rt. Rev. Joseph A. McDonagh, D.P., making a comparison to the beautiful blossoms which filled the countryside said: "From this one tree that is planted in Grimsby today will come blossoms that will spread across the world." Other speakers were: Mr. John Alkena, Deputy Reeve for North Grimsby Township, speaking for Reeve Charles Durham, Mayor Bull of Grimsby, Mr. Thomas R. BeGora, Barrister, St. Catharines, Mr. Fred Wisnoski, vice-president of St. Mary's Church, Mr. Bill Palmer, Financial Secretary for St. Mary's Church, and Fr. Nicholas Shumsky who exhorted the people to generously support the sisters with their donations. Father Mark Romanovich, the founder of the new society, then spoke his few sincere words of gratitude and thanks to all those that had helped him achieve his goal. He tendered special thanks to the following persons who in particular had given him unlimited support and aid: Mr. Andrew Borowsky of Brantford, Ont., who donated his home and 20 acres of fruit land towards the sisters, to Mr. Henry Pryhodka and Fr. Nicholas Shumsky of the Farmers' Realty Co., Beamsville, to Mr. McGinty and Mr. Walsh of Grimsby, to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jacklin, to Mrs. Sudoma and Mrs. Zapiotasky, of Grimsby, to Mr. Thomas R. BeGora, Barrister of St. Catharines, and to Mr. Livingston and Mr. Lawson of the Grimsby Independent.

The afternoon's program was then concluded with an invitation to examine the new home at leisure, after which visitors signed their names in the home's souvenir book. Tea and refreshments were then served. Ladies who helped prepare the refreshments were: Mrs. Paul Romanow, Mrs. William Laba, Sr., Mrs. Frances Andreychuk, Mrs. Fred Wisnoski, Mrs. J. Sklerk and Mrs. Michael Duschak. Those who served tea were: Mrs. Mary Palmer, Misses Elizabeth Laba and Lily Laba.

Among those found present on the gardens were: Rev. E. A. Brooks, Dr. and Mrs. MacMillan, Dr. and Mrs. McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. B. Geddes, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Murdoch, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bromley, Mr. G. Di Tomasso, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dick, Mr. Burgess Book, Mr. Orion Livingston, Mr. Lawson, and others. Mr. Bruce Murdoch of the Hamilton Spectator took photographs.

The program of the following day included the Blessing of the Chapel, celebration of the first Mass in the new chapel, and the introduction of the first spiritual exercises all conducted by the founder, Fr. Mark Romanovich, O.S.B.M.

"Lost Weekend" Is Fine Picture

Those who read Charles Jackson's widely discussed best-seller, "The Lost Weekend," never had any idea such a shockingly realistic book would ever be exposed to the hot lights of a Hollywood studio. But Paramount executives dared to bring this story of a man's inner struggle to the screen with Ray Milland playing the central character. Brilliantly directed by Billy Wilder and produced by Charles Brackett, "The Lost Weekend" is playing at the Roxy theatre on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week with Jane Wyman co-starring opposite Milland and Phillip Terry, Howard da Silva and Doris Dowling included in the supporting cast.

The picture is not a pretty one. No punches are pulled and the audience is spared nothing of the horror which haunts a man afflicted with chronic alcoholism. It is the story of five merciless nights and days in the life of Don Birnam—a sensitive, intelligent person of thirty-three dragged to the dregs by a weakness beyond his control. The torment Milland endures in this remarkable screen characterization exceeds the fire and brimstone of anything the most Satanic devil could devise. His portrayal is terrifying in its realism. He puts the movie-goer through an emotional wringer that leaves him limp with exhaustion. Though the Wilder-Brackett team has been responsible for many startlingly different pictures, "The Lost Weekend" is something that Hollywood has never before had the courage to screen. The entire production deviates sharply from the usual formula for films both as to script, sets and camera work. The mood never lets up for one moment. Reels of celluloid vividly record Milland's desperate struggle to fight the mental demon which threatens to destroy him.

Jane Wyman is superb as the devoted woman who refuses to believe the man she loves is incurable. Phillip Terry also turns in a splendid performance as Milland's solid, "good as gold" brother who tries desperately to help him, but all to no avail.

"The Lost Weekend" is a cinematic tour de force with all the impact of a sledgehammer. For Ray Milland, it is a personal triumph.

In Abyssinia it's the custom to chain a debtor to his creditor. If the custom were in America, there would certainly be some chain gang.

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If men have enjoyed milk puddings in army camps and convalescent hospitals, ten chances to one they will appreciate such desserts made Mom's way even more.

RICE AND APPLE PUDDING

Cook 1 cupful washed rice in 1 quart of milk, using the double boiler. When tender, add ½ teaspoonful of salt and 1 tablespoon of butter. Grease a baking dish and into it spread alternate layers of rice and hot applesauce. Bake in a moderate oven 350 degs. F. about 20 minutes and serve warm with cream and sugar. Other fruits may be used in place of the apples if desired. Prunes, apricots, peaches and other kinds of dried or fresh fruit will give very good results.

ORANGE SPONGE PUDDING

½ cup sugar, 4 tbsps. flour, ¼ tsp. salt, pinch nutmeg, 2 tbsps. melted shortening, 2 tbsps. lemon juice, ¼ cup orange juice, grated rind one orange, 2 eggs (separated), 1 cup milk.

Mix sugar, flour, salt and nutmeg. Stir in shortening, fruit juices, rind and egg yolks; beat thoroughly. Blend in milk; fold in stiffly whipped egg whites. Pour into greased custard cups or individual baking dishes and set in pan of hot water. Bake in an electric oven, 350 degs. F., for 30 minutes or until delicately browned.

BUTTERSCOTCH PUDDING

3 tbsps. cornstarch, ½ cup brown sugar, 2 egg yolks, ½ cup cold milk, 2 cups hot milk, 2 tbsps. butter, 2 egg whites (beaten), ½ tsp. vanilla.

Mix cornstarch, sugar and a pinch of salt together. Add egg yolks, slightly beaten with the cold milk. Heat milk in top of double boiler and add butter. Stir first mixture into the heated milk gradually, stirring constantly until the custard becomes thick and smooth. Cover and let cook over hot water for 10 or 15 mins. Remove from fire and let cool slightly. Fold in the stiffly beaten egg whites and add the vanilla. Pour into pudding mould and chill.

TAKE A TIP

Stale slices, dry crusts and other left-overs in the bread box can be used to make scores of delicious dishes—yet often go into the garbage instead. Studies show that bread is the most wasted food in our kitchens.

French toast and cheese toast are hearty enough for main dishes. French toast is made by dipping slices in a mixture of egg beaten with 2 tbsps. milk and browning on both sides in a little fat in the frying pan. For cheese toast, lay slices of cheese, salted and peppered between slices of unbuttered bread. Brown the sandwiches on both sides in fat, cooking slowly until the cheese melts.

Crusts and bone-dry pieces can make up the supply of bread crumbs that every good cook likes to have on hand. Dry the bread in a slow oven, then roll it to crumbs or put through food grinder. (Tie a paper bag over the outlet of chopper to prevent crumbs from spilling.) Keep crumbs covered and protected from dust and moisture.

Aside from the familiar uses of crumbs in coating foods for frying, topping dishes for baking and stuffing vegetables or meat, there are bread crumb specialties such as crumb pastry for cream pies, crumb cake, crumb cookies and crumb bread pudding.

Anne Allan invites you to write to her c/o The Grimsby Independent. Send in your suggestions on homemaking problems and watch this column for replies.

Oh, what is home without a deck of bridge cards.

Cut a politician off from the gravy and he will boil.

Science needs to perfect a dirt remover which will remove some of the dirt from the human mind.

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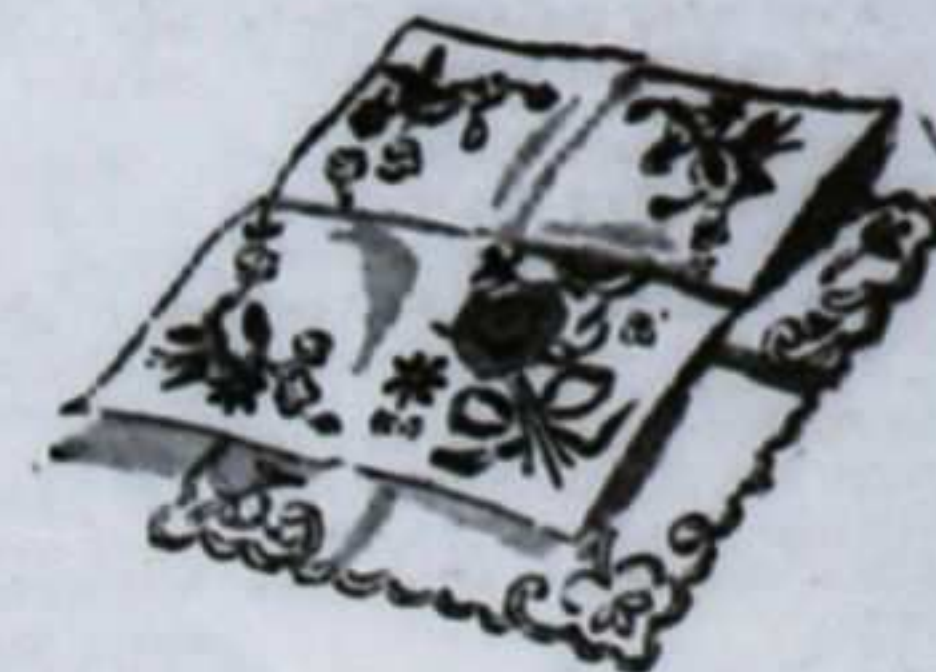


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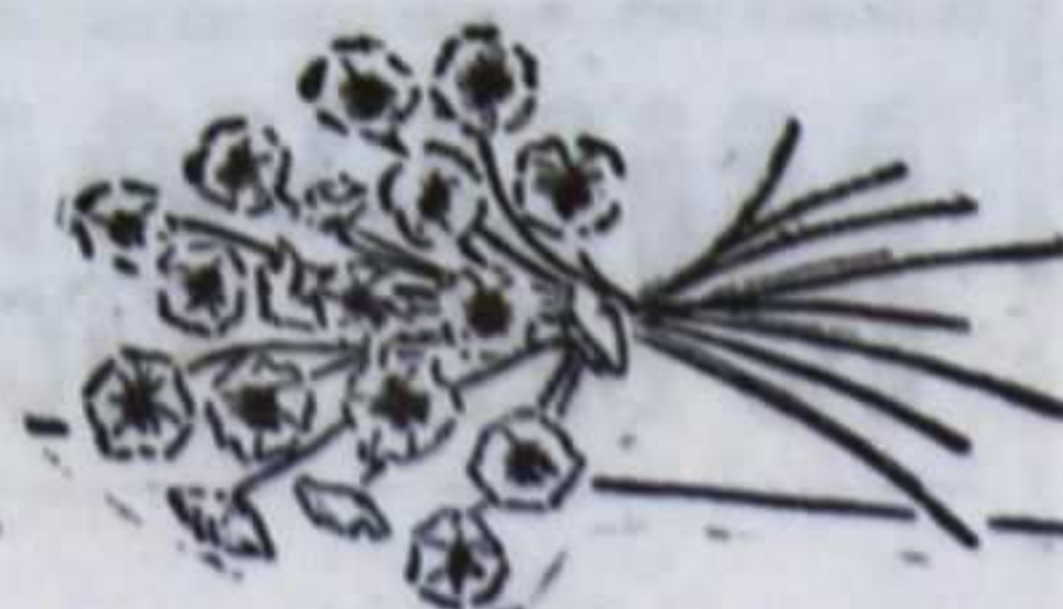


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THOMAS STUDIO
OF PORTRAITURE

Social Events — Personals — Organizations — Club Activities

Fred Walker of Seaford visited with T. A. and Mrs. Flett on Blossom Sunday.

W. G. and Mrs. Garlick, Toronto, visited with Gordon L. and Mrs. Eaton, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Teeter, Niagara Falls, N.Y., were weekend visitors with James and Mrs. Gowland, Oak Street.

N. J. M. Lockhart of St. Catharines, Member of Parliament for Lincoln, attended the Andy Clarke broadcast on Sunday morning.

Lt. Comdr. Stuart Tregaskes, of the Royal Canadian Navy, spent the Blossom weekend with Harry and Clara Tregaskes, St. Andrew's avenue.

The Mothers' Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Joseph Rummery, 46 Fairview Road, on Thursday, May 16th, at 2 o'clock. All mothers are invited.

Mrs. Eva Salure of Georgetown, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bartlett of Dunnville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Theal, Main St. East.

"What was the matter with Mildred Pierce?" is the topic which the Rector of St. Andrew's Church has announced for his sermon next Sunday at the evening service.

Rev. Neil M. Leckie and Mrs. Leckie have been visiting in the town of St. Mary's. Dr. Leckie taking part in the marriage of two former friends of that place.

The date for the Women's Institute Annual has been set forward one week, to May 14th. Members please note the change. Place of meeting is the home of Mrs. Eli Beamer, Murray Street, on Tuesday evening.

A visitor to Grimsby on Monday, renewing old acquaintances, was Frank Read of Hamilton. Mr. Read calls on old friends at least twice a year, but he came down on Monday, as it was May 6th, just 55 years since his family the late Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Read and children moved to Grimsby from Ayr. Previous to that time they were residents of Montreal. The Read homestead is now owned and occupied by Mrs. George Hoshal, on No. 8 Highway east.

CHUM

Broadcasts both services from The People's Church 100 Bloor East, Toronto, each Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Dial 1050 or 105. Listen in next Sunday. Dr. Oswald J. Smith, Pastor.

Trinity United Church

W. J. Watt, B.A., B.D., Pastor.
MOTHER'S DAY, MAY 12
11 a.m.—Congregation and Sunday School meet together.
7 p.m.—"Honor thy father and thy mother."
No Sunday School this afternoon.

Gospel Hall

Adelaide St., Grimsby
LORD'S DAY
Breaking of Bread — 11 a.m.
Sunday School — 3 p.m.
Gospel Meeting — 7 p.m.
Wednesday
Prayer Meeting and Bible Reading, 8 p.m.
— All Welcome —

L. A. W. Barbara Murdoch, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), Trenton, was home for Blossom Sunday.

D. Thomson is reported as making a satisfactory recovery and is expected home very shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tufford of St. Catharines, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher, Oak St.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Crow, of Toronto, visited with their mother, Mrs. D. Crow, Ridge Road, on Sunday.

"Buddy" and Mrs. Clarke and baby Dianne and Miss Dickens of Toronto were Village Inn guests on Sunday, having come over to be present at the Andy Clarke Neighborhood News broadcast.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lintz, of Scott, Saskatchewan, are visiting with Paul and Mrs. Miller, Oak street. They have sold their section of land in the west and intend to settle in the Grimsby district. For the summer they will reside at Grimsby Beach.

Hugh and Mrs. Templin of Ferguson visited on Sunday with Miss Templin, dietician of West Lincoln Memorial hospital. Mr. Templin is the Editor of the Ferguson News-Record and this year is President of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association.

Mrs. W. F. Randall and Mrs. Freda Milne, of Vinemount, sister and niece of Andy Clarke, were welcome visitors to the broadcasting ceremonies on Sunday morning.

Mrs. Randall's husband, the late W. F. Randall, was an ex-Town Clerk and ex-Reeve of Grimsby.

Mrs. Gordon Conant, of Oshawa, (daughter of Senator E. D. Smith, Winona) provincial commissioner of the Girl Guides Association, spent the week-end in Ottawa, to meet Lady Alexander, honorary president of the association, and they attended the Russell-Carlton Girl Guide rally on Saturday.

The guests at the Carr-Hawes wedding included: Misses Verna Carter, Alma Swan and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Benedict, of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rice, Mrs. Thomas Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weller, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lee, Misses Ellen Carr and Margaret Jones, Messrs. Don Lea, Dick Jones and Charles Weller, all of Toronto.

Mrs. Edrie Gowland, Grand Warder, was hostess at dinner at the Village Inn on Monday evening for Mrs. Doris E. Wanless, Worthy Grand Matron, Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, for Ontario. Mrs. Edrie Hodgkins, Worthy Matron, Dorcas Chapter, Smithville; and Mrs. Letha McNinch, Worthy Matron, Grimsby Chapter. While in Grimsby Mrs. Wanless was the overnight guest of Mrs. Gowland.

St. John's Presbyterian Church

Rev. F. McAvoy, B.A., B. Th. Minister.
SUNDAY, MAY 12th, 1946
11 a.m.—"Launch Out."
2:30—Sabbath School.
7 p.m.—"No Escaping Consequences."

Grimsby Baptist Church

R. C. Standerwick, B.A., B.D., Pastor.
SUNDAY, MAY 5th, 1946
Services every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
— All Welcome —

Welcome



May 3rd—To Frank and Mrs. Montaine, Grimsby Beach, a daughter.

May 4th—To Walter and Mrs. Gibson, R.R. No. 1, Grimsby, a son.

May 5th—To Samuel and Mrs. Embrey, Winona, a son.

May 7th—To Harold and Mrs. Clarke, R.R. No. 3 Beamsville, a son.

May 8th—To Wm. and Mrs. McFarlane, Grimsby, a daughter.

Miss Margaret Woolverton of Chicago, spent last week with her father Harold C. Woolverton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lagare and daughter of Quebec City were Blossom week visitors with Harold C. Woolverton.

Miss Una Cody and Mr. Lawrie Melrose of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fisher, Robinson St. South.

Mrs. William B. Hotson of St. Mary's is spending a few weeks as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Leckie at their home on Kerman Avenue.

Leslie Stewart returned home from Warlton, and has gone to Kitchener on a preliminary survey in connection with airport work.

Charles Hysert, a native son of Grassies, now in the lumbering business east of Sudbury, was a visitor in town and district this week.

Friends of Mr. J. H. Forman, 9 Livingston Ave., will be glad to know that he is showing considerable improvement after his illness of the past two weeks.

Harry Groat of Port Colborne, chose Blossom Sunday to come back to Grimsby to visit his sister Mrs. Olive Berry, at The Village Inn, and also to have a good visit with his old pal of long ago, Andy Clarke.

Mrs. Margaret Scott and little daughter Rosemarie and son Stewart, English bride and children of Major E. B. Scott, have arrived in Canada on the Lady Nelson, and will take up residence with Major Scott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Scott, Park Road, Grimsby Beach until Major Scott returns from overseas.

Will Entertain For Servicemen

The Returned Service Personnel of St. Andrew's congregation are being entertained at Dinner in the Parish Hall on Saturday of this week at 6:30 p.m.
All such whether they have received invitations or not will be welcome. Replies will be appreciated by the Committee in charge.

Social Activities At Village Inn

Alterations and improvements are continuing at The Village Inn, and it will be well into the middle of June when the official opening will take place. For this gala occasion Andy Clarke has agreed to be present and broadcast a short program from the beautiful Oak Room where a banquet will be in progress.

Blossom Sunday brought thousands of people into this district and The Inn was a mecca for blossom viewers. For noonday and evening dinner 502 guests were served from the excellent cuisine of this fine hostelry.

Today Mrs. Gilbert Wade and Mrs. Hugh Campbell are entertaining upwards of 50 guests at a 'big' luncheon.

Last evening Ken Hudson entertained at a stag for a friend from Toronto, who is about to take the fatal jump into matrimony.

Tomorrow evening, Miss Kay Kennedy of Hamilton will entertain a dinner party of 12.

On Saturday afternoon and evening Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hermiston will hold their Diamond Jubilee celebration in The Oak Room.

Sale of Seals In Grimsby

With the final returns in and the books closed for the season, Grimsby Seal Sales Committee reports that 1945 sale of Christmas Seals netted a sum exceeding \$565.00. This is a slight increase over 1944 sales, and the committee is grateful to all those whose generous contributions helped in the good work.

St. John's L. A.

The Ladies' Aid of St. John's Presbyterian Church held their monthly meeting Thursday, May 2nd, in the church. Mrs. Larsen presided.

A committee arranged for the members to sew this summer on aprons, children's clothing and fancy work for our Bazaar this fall.

An interesting contest given by Mrs. Larsen was won by Mrs. Morris.

A dainty lunch was served by the hostesses Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Larsen and Mrs. Hermiston.

Will Celebrate Diamond Jubilee

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hermiston will celebrate their Diamond Wedding Anniversary, at an At Home, in The Oak Room of The Village Inn, on Saturday afternoon, May 11th, from three o'clock to five o'clock and from eight o'clock to ten o'clock in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermiston were married in the then Village of Listowel, by an Anglican minister, on May 11th, 1886. The bridesmaid and groomsmen who attended them will be present at the reception on Saturday.

The Independent along with their wide circle of friends throughout the Grimsby district extend to them many felicitations upon their 60th anniversary of married life.

A Real Bowlful Of Blossoms

Coming up the drive at St. Andrew's Church in the early quiet of Blossom Sunday morning and glancing westward across the gravestones, our eye was caught by what looked like a thick pink wall closing in the churchyard on that side.

Such a thing had never happened before, so we walked up—there is a slight rise—the wide grassy path between the "Old" and the "New" Surveys. As we went the pink wall receded, and then the land dipped down to the new burial plot.

Across the creek, and up the opposite slope, was a little peach orchard, a solid mass of pink. It was as if all the pinkness of all the blossoming peach trees of the Peninsula had been poured into a bowl. Peeping above the trees in the bowl was the black roof of "Dick" Johnson's barn, and on the opposite hill to the left the Johnson and Pettit homes, banked with cherry trees.

Trinity W.A.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Association, Trinity United Church, was held at the home of Mrs. H. Harper, Main street west on May 2nd, with 27 ladies present.

Meeting opened by singing the hymn, "For the Beauty of the Earth," followed by the Lord's Prayer in unison, Mrs. W. McNiven read the Scripture lesson.

It was decided to give \$25.00 to the Cancer Research Fund; and a committee was appointed to look after flowers for the church each Sunday. The ladies made quilt blocks for the Red Cross.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. McNiven, Mrs. James Theal and Mrs. L. Cloughley, after which a social hour was enjoyed.

Mrs. A. F. Hawke moved a hearty vote of thanks to Mrs. Harper for having the meeting at her home.

The June meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. McNiven, Main street west. Money boxes are to be turned in at this meeting.

Bridal Showers

Miss Arlene Ambrose was the recipient of many lovely gifts at a bridal shower given for her at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Vidal, Beamsville.

About 50 guests attended. A dainty buffet lunch was served by the hostess and singing.

What every girl would like to have is a shining golden egg.



Nuptials

CARR-HAWES

Rev. E. Arnold Brooks officiated at the marriage in St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Grimsby, on April 27th, when Alice Anastasia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tyndale Hawes, North Grimsby, became the bride of William Truman Carr, son of Mrs. Alfred Rice of Toronto and the late Mr. John Carr. Mr. Bertram Webster presided at the organ. The church was decorated with pink and white snapdragons, Easter lilies and hydrangeas.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a powder blue dressmaker suit, with flower trimmed hat and black accessories. She wore a corsage of red roses. Miss Helen Beckerson was her only attendant, wearing a turquoise suit and navy blue accessories. Her corsage was of Tallman roses. Mr. John Rice was groomsmen, and the ushers were Mr. Robert Hawes and Mr. Donald Hawes.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where the bride's mother received in grey crepe with black accessories and corsage of red carnations. The groom's mother assisted, wearing a light blue crepe dress, black hat and corsage of Briardiff roses.

Out of town guests included Misses Verna Carter, Alma Swann and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Benedict of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rice, Mr. Thos. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Weller, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jones, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lee, Misses Ellen Carr and Margaret Jones, Messrs. Don Lea and Dick Jones, Chas. Weller, all of Toronto.

Following a short motor trip, the bride and groom will make their home in Toronto.

Eastern Star

Grimsby Chapter No. 195, O.E.S., was honoured on Monday evening, with a visit from the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Doris Wanless of Windsor, who expressed her pleasure at being able to visit the "Garden of Canada" at blossom time, and compared the seasons with our lives, saying "that all things work together for good."

On this occasion honour was paid to Mrs. Edrie Gowland as Grand Warder of the Grand Chapter of Ontario, and honorary membership certificates were presented to Mrs. Doris Wanless, Worthy Grand Matron and Mrs. Edrie Gowland, Grand Warder, by the Worthy Matron, Mrs. Letha McNinch.

Other distinguished guests included Mr. William Lambert, P.W.G.P., Mrs. Agnes Dean, G.C., Mrs. Prudence Dick, M.G.E., Mrs. Olive Adams, Mrs. Mina Dandy, and Mr. George Gaylard, F. N. H. B.; several Past District Deputy Grand Matrons, and presiding Matrons and Patrons of the District. Other guests were present from Burlington, Stoney Creek, Hagersville, Smithville, Hamilton and Dundas.

Invitations were accepted to visit Bethlehem Chapter, Kenmore, N.Y., on Tuesday, May 14th, and Unity Chapter, Toronto, on Friday, June 14th.

At the conclusion of the meeting, a successful Penny Sale was conducted by Mrs. Muriel Anderson and Mrs. Hazel Tuck, which was enjoyed by all.

Refreshments Committee included Mrs. Pearl Betzner and Mrs. Anne Culp, Conveners, assisted by Mrs. Hazel Hagar, Mrs. Helen Elmer, Mrs. Inez Cloughley, Mrs. Agnes Quigley and Miss Alda Van-Mere.

In Memoriam

HENRY—In loving memory of Fred C. Henry, who passed away April 27, 1946.

As angels keep their watch up there,

Please God just let him know That we down here do not forget, We love and miss him so. Sadly remembered by Mother and cousin Mary.

SCHWAB—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Nella Jane Schwab, who passed away May 2, 1942.

Some where back of the sunset Please God, just let her know That we down here do not forget, We loved, and miss her so. But it's sweet to know we'll meet again.

On that bright eternal shore, Where Christ will wipe away all tears

And we'll meet to part no more. Husband, Fred, Clifford and Myrtle.

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Births

STEELE—Mr. and Mrs. Philip Steele (ne Betty Fisher) wish to announce the birth of a son (Philip Michael) May 2nd, 1946, at the General Hospital, Vancouver. Mother and baby doing nicely.

Girl Guides

CANADIAN GIRL GUIDES ASSOCIATION DIVISION OF WEST LINCOLN

An interesting award was made to a Grimsby Guide last week—the first in this Division—when the Division Commissioner visited the 50th L.O.D.E. Company and handed to the Captain, Miss Elsie Rachel Cullingford, a "Long Service Certificate" signed by the Dominion Chief Commissioner for "faithful and efficient service." The Commissioner spoke of the faithful and continuous service of Miss Cullingford as lieutenant and later as captain in the Company which she had first joined as a Guide.

Arrangements are now being made for a Rally to be held in the Scott Park Stadium, Hamilton, on Saturday, June 8th, at which the World Chief Guide, the Lady Baden-Powell will be present and will speak to the Guides. The area of which this Rally is the centre extends from Oakville to Niagara Falls. It is hoped to have a strong representation from this Division.

Grimsby Weather

Week ending at 8 a.m., Monday, May 6th, 1946.
Highest temperature 75.0
Lowest temperature 34.2
Mean temperature 49.9
Precipitation 0.26 inches

Brownies

The Brownies are rejoicing at the arrival of the fine weather. They are now able to meet on the magic green sword, which as everyone knows is the fairy home of Brownie folk.



On April 13th each brought a jar and planted in it a bean and a pea. A number passed their hopping test and also ball throwing.

On April 23rd, Brown Owl and her Brownies went for a nature study walk up the mountain. Tuesday, April 30, again found the Brownies outside. Work continued with ball throwing and tying knots. Some time was also spent learning about our flag.

A game of "Brownie in the Pack" was played and a new song learned after which the Brownies were called to Pow Wow.

The meeting closed with taps, a game of "Good-bye Squeeze" and singing of "Run Along Home".

Engagement

Mrs. Ruth Marshall of Brighton, Ont., wishes to announce the engagement of her youngest daughter, H. Georgina Ruth, to Mr. Neale Harold Stuart, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Stuart, Grimsby, Ontario. Wedding to take place in Trinity United Church, Saturday, May 18, at 3 p.m.

Obituary

MRS. MARGARET COWARD
The death occurred in St. Joseph's hospital, London, on April 27th, of Margaret Morrison, relict of the late Daniel Coward, in her 85th year, and mother of Robert Coward of Grimsby Beach.

Deceased lady had lived on the same farm, at Exeter, continuously from the day of her marriage 61 years ago until her death.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coward, Mr. Ross Coward and Mrs. H. D. Latham of Beamsville, attended the funeral.

LOUIS NETZ

Funeral services were conducted from the Stonehouse Funeral Home, on Wednesday afternoon, by Rev. Mr. Poulton, of Queen St. Baptist Church, St. Catharines, for Louis Netz, who passed away in St. Catharines hospital on Monday, in his 82nd year. Interment was made in Queen's Lawn cemetery.

The late gentleman was born in Germany and came to America 40 years ago and to the Grimsby district 32 years ago. For the past 16 years he has been a resident of the Lincoln County Home.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Annie Netz.

MRS. W. H. LOUNSBURY
There passed away at her home in South Grimsby township, on Friday, Mrs. William H. Lounsbury, a highly respected resident for the last 36 years.

She was 66 years old and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Lindner, of St. Catharines. Surviving are her husband, two daughters, Mrs. John Pinfield and Mrs. Philip Tufford, Clinton township; five sons, Charles, Beamsville; Hewitt, North Grimsby; Laverne, Dunnville; Roy, in Florida; and Gordon, at home; a sister, Mrs. M. Enwright, St. Catharines, and one brother, Leonard Lindner, Beamsville, and 12 grandchildren.

The burial took place from her late home on Monday afternoon to Mount Osborne Cemetery.

JAMES WHITTAKER
A former resident of Grimsby, James J. Whittaker, died last Wednesday at St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton, in his 76th year.

He and his brother, William F., owned and operated the farm now occupied by Samuel Gardham at the foot of Elizabeth street. The land had been purchased by their father from Adolphus Nelles, and became known as one of the best fruit farms in the district, and none was better managed. Both "Will" and "Jim" were members of the old Grimsby Band. Mrs. William Whittaker now lives at 25 Elizabeth street.

The fine brick home was built by Patrick Farrell, an Irish mason who came to Grimsby while it was yet better known as The Forty. Much of his work is still standing throughout the district to attest to good, honest craftsmanship.

The first burying ground of the settlement at The Forty was located on this farm, to the north of the farmhouse. The aforesaid Patrick Farrell once lived in a small log cabin close by.

The farm was purchased from the late Wm. Whittaker by H. H. Farrell, who sold it to Murray Fitch, Charles J. Emm bought it from Mrs. Fitch, and last fall sold it to the present owner, Mr. Gardham.

The late James Whittaker had lived in Hamilton for 32 years. He leaves his wife, the former Bertha Springstead, three sons, Fred G. Morris, and Howard, and a daughter, Mrs. Violet Shipley, all of Hamilton; also a brother, Charles, in Montreal. After service at the Marriott Funeral Home on Friday last, interment was made in the family plot, St. Andrew's church, Grimsby.

BREVITIES

EVENTS AND TOPICS of the WEEK in TABLOID

Send in your news items.
Sunday is Mother's Day.

Legion Sports day, May 24th.
Salvage collection, Saturday, May 18.

Township Council meets Saturday afternoon.

Blossom Time Music Festival TONIGHT, Tomorrow night and Monday night.

Cecil Hildeth and family have moved to Coptown where they have purchased a 130 acre grain, stock and vegetable farm.

Citizens of Burlington are agitating for the erection of a Memorial hospital. They may get the hospital, but they won't get a Miss MacRobbie.

Road Supt. Thos. Mackie of North Grimsby, reports that Harry Nickerson, one and a half miles east of Grimsby Centre has a ewe sheep that recently gave birth to five lambs. Unfortunately they all died. Another neighbour's ewe gave birth to four lambs and they are living.

Property transfers in St. Catharines for the month of April exceeded all records and with the per capita amount higher than in the past. The total of transfers was 164 with 148 being for a consideration of \$657,866. The remaining 16 transfers were family transactions recorded at \$1 each.

The third annual public speaking and musical contests sponsored by the Junior Farmers and Junior Girls' Association of Lincoln county will be held this month in various centres. Preliminary contests will be staged at the Smithville Masonic hall on Wednesday, May 15; Beamsville Community hall on Wednesday, May 22; and at the Consolidated School hall in St. Catharines on Wednesday, May 29. The final contest for county honours will be held in Victoria hall, Vineland, on Friday, June 7.

Anglican Appeal Drive Next Week

LOCAL CONGREGATION TAKING ENTHUSIASTIC SHARE

Enthusiasm and anticipation mounts high as the Anglican Advance Appeal nears the week of May 12th-19th when a great army of canvassers from every Anglican congregation in Canada goes out to reach every member of that Church to present the challenge and the opportunity of this critical day in the history of the world. The same spirit that won the war is called for to make a peaceful world. God has preserved us from defeat, and given us a new opportunity to build something better. All parts of the Christian Church are alive to the importance of the years which face us now. Everyone who values The Church and what she stands for is called to active working membership. Every member an asset, is a slogan we hear. There is no one who is not needed. There is no one who does not need Christ. Tragedy and disaster follow where His voice is disregarded.

The Anglican Church has officially said to all her members, "Give us the tools and we will get on with the job." The people have never failed in the past to answer this challenge and there is full confidence now that it will not fail this time. In a campaign extending over the next three years the minimum quota is 4 1/2 million dollars for the whole of Canada, the objective is the maximum giving power of Anglicans.

The local Anglican congregation of St. Andrew's Church has a strong support of Mr. P. V. Smith which is organized to cover the local territory with \$5,000.00 as its quota. Canvassers are ready to go out next week and will report their returns daily so that C.K.O.C. Hamilton newscast the progress of the appeal.

Apparatus from the St. Catharines region, which includes Grimsby, are meeting for dinner on by, are me this week at the Y.M.C.A. whenal chairman of canvassers will preside of witness has been a great in St. Catharines been arranditorium at which the Collegiate At be the Very Revd. preacher is to of Toronto, C. E. Riley, Dean that His Majesty's Representative patron of Viscount Alexander is the Appeal.

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BEAMSVILLE NEWS

SERVICE STATION OPERATORS WOULD LIKE UNIFORM HOURS

Beamsville Council is going to raise the dickens with dog owners who insist on letting their canine pals run all over town, especially now, when a by-law is in effect stating that all dogs in the Corporation limits must be tied up. Several complaints have been received by Council, with regard to dogs tearing up freshly planted gardens, and it was decided at the Monday night session of Council to take drastic steps if this by-law was broken in the future. Appearing in the press will be the final warning, and after that, watch out for Rover is going to cost you some lettuce, and it won't be the type he's been digging up in irate Beamsville gardeners' back lots.

Council was given a demonstration of a road breaker and placed an order for one of the machines which will cost around five hundred and seventy-five dollars, with added attachments coming extra.

Elmer Inglehart and Fred Richardson, appeared before Council with a petition signed by the garage and service station operators of Beamsville. The purpose of their petition is to procure a by-law, giving specific hours for garages to remain open or closed. The operators would like to have a system whereby stations would operate from seven to seven on Monday till Sunday, with Saturday hours being from seven to nine. The station remaining open on Sunday to be the late one open on Saturday. The Clerk was instructed to have the Solicitor draw up the proper by-law, including therein a clause, permitting emergency road service, after the hours of closing.

The by-law was given first, second and third readings. The by-law whereby the Village do enter into an agreement with the Commissioner of Police for Ontario was given first, second and third readings. This is the new set-up whereby a Provincial man is placed in Beamsville as Constable. Another by-law with regard to the Constable's authority to enforce the laws set forth in the Liquor Control Act, was read and passed.

The mere mention of the signal system at the Beamsville crossing by Reeve Saunders, brought forth a stormy protest by Councillors Banks and Laundry.

Stated Laundry—"I'd fight it tooth and nail, it's too bad Beamsville got into it at all. Rather than accept any agreement, I'd rather

see it go before the railway board. We're subject to any system they decide to install, perhaps even the gate system they now have at Grimsby."

As Council discussed the problem, it was the feeling that Clinton Township would benefit most by the installation of a signal, and besides this they would receive a 50% rebate, whereas the Village would take the whole shot without a rebate.

As outlined in last week's issue, a board of Railway Commissioners okayed the crossing as dangerous enough to warrant a flasher. The terms under which this would be erected, in what Council seem to disagree on. The matter will probably come up again, and Reeve Saunders is attending a meeting in St. Catharines, during which it would be brought up for discussion.

Other matters of civic importance, included the failure on behalf of the fire department to check hydrants and hold regular practice nights.

Chairman of the Fire Committee Frank Laundry, stated "I'll wager that right now there are three or four hydrants that wouldn't produce a drop of water."

"However, the department hasn't any incentive to be efficient, that's why we need the fire hall so urgently, and its high time we got started on it," concluded the Councillor.

In this regard, a special meeting will be held Friday night, and from this may appear the first concrete plans for the proposed fire hall.

Assessor A. D. Stirtzinger was given permission to commence his card system of assessing, starting in June. It is thought that this system will be most beneficial to all concerned and is thought to be a system, that will be more or less universal in Lincoln and other Counties.

Other matters included the condition of the Main street, and the poor condition of all Beamsville Streets.

Three buildings permits were granted, one to Mrs. J. S. Fester for a \$1500 dwelling on Maple Ave., the others include an addition to Dr. H. D. Latham's office and the erecting of a garage on Lorne Hill's property on West Avenue.

Accounts totalling \$5,351.43 were read and passed by Council. The session broke up at 12:45 a.m. session broke up at 12:45.

Whose Dog Is Killing Sheep?

If the wind had not been moving the trees, I would have thought that the world had really come to a standstill on Monday afternoon, as I spent three hours listening to the May session of Clinton Township Council.

According to transactions completed, all must be well with the Township, when they can spend three-quarters of a hour trying to figure out who to collect \$70 back taxes from, and whose dog is killing the sheep back over the hill.

Outside of this, the Council decided to ask for tenders for a power mower and a horse-drawn mower, and Road Superintendent Stanley reported that the underbrush was very bad in some places.

Reeve Saunders of the Beamsville Council, dropped in to find out the Township's attitude toward the proposed automatic flasher system at the C.N.R. crossing on Ontario street.

Councillor Warner asked why the railway didn't do it themselves, and Reeve Montgomery thought it might be left to Lincoln County. Councillor Freure stated that the County would probably turn it down, if the Township and the Village didn't see fit to co-operate with the installation and upkeep. "It's all right to let it go, but if a car load of people gets mangled, then for the sake of a few hundred dollars, you would feel pretty cheap."

However the matter dropped, with the thought that perhaps something might come out of the meeting to be held in St. Catharines by the Roads Committee of Lincoln County.

With this the session and the wind both died down, and Council adjourned after a listless session.

St. Andrew's W.M.S.

Mrs. S. A. Southward conducted the devotional period of the regular monthly meeting of the W.M.S. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, held in the Church Parlor last Wednesday.

Also taking part in the meeting were Mrs. Reid, Mrs. D. Stevens, Miss M. Ryckman, and Mrs. C. H. Prudhomme, who gave a graphic review of Rev. James Milroy's book, entitled "The Key to Life."

Current events of Presbyterian missionaries and the fine work they are doing in British Guiana was given by Mrs. C. A. McArthur.

I.O.D.E.

The second Literary meeting of the Lena Davis Chapter, I.O.D.E., was largely attended and an outstanding program, both educational and entertaining, was the feature of the meeting held Monday afternoon in the Kitchenette of the High School.

Following the singing of "O Canada," the Regent, Mrs. Frank J. Thomson, conducted a short business session, following which, English War Brides were welcomed to the meeting as special guests, by Mr. C. H. Prudhomme. Mrs. H. A. B. Bartlett, extended a welcome to the guests, before introducing Mrs. James Creelman, who conducted the popular "Empire Quiz."

Canada's western Provinces, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta was the setting for the Empire Study, which was ably handled by Mrs. C. I. McKellar from their inception since the days when the western part of Canada was a vast void beyond the horizon, inhabited only by trappers. Then the period when droves of settlers, speculators and merchants arrived to open up the west, which, with its many resources and climatic conditions is eventually to have a great future, and will play an important role in the formation of Canada.

Stephen Leacock's great book, "The Boy I Left Behind Me" was the book reviewed by Mrs. Claude Farrow and her condensation of this story was aptly given. The facts about this widely known author, who will be remembered for his teaching and humour was also given by the speaker. The story of his childhood and youth in Mid-Victorian England and Canada, was recalled and told with mellow humor, which was ideal to Leacock's own style of writing.

Two soloists were heard during the afternoon, Mrs. D. Stricker, rendered two numbers especially befitting the spring season, these being, Molly Carey's "Over the Meadow" and Isabelle Firestone's "In My Garden." Mrs. J. B. Stallwood was the accompanist. Miss Shirley Van Haerlemyoung Vineyard pianist, played Frederick Chopin's "Valse in C Shp Minor", which was much enjoyed by the Literary gathering.

The meeting closed with social half-hour.

Ho, hum! We wonder if there was ever a period when the rid was not in a chaotic condition.

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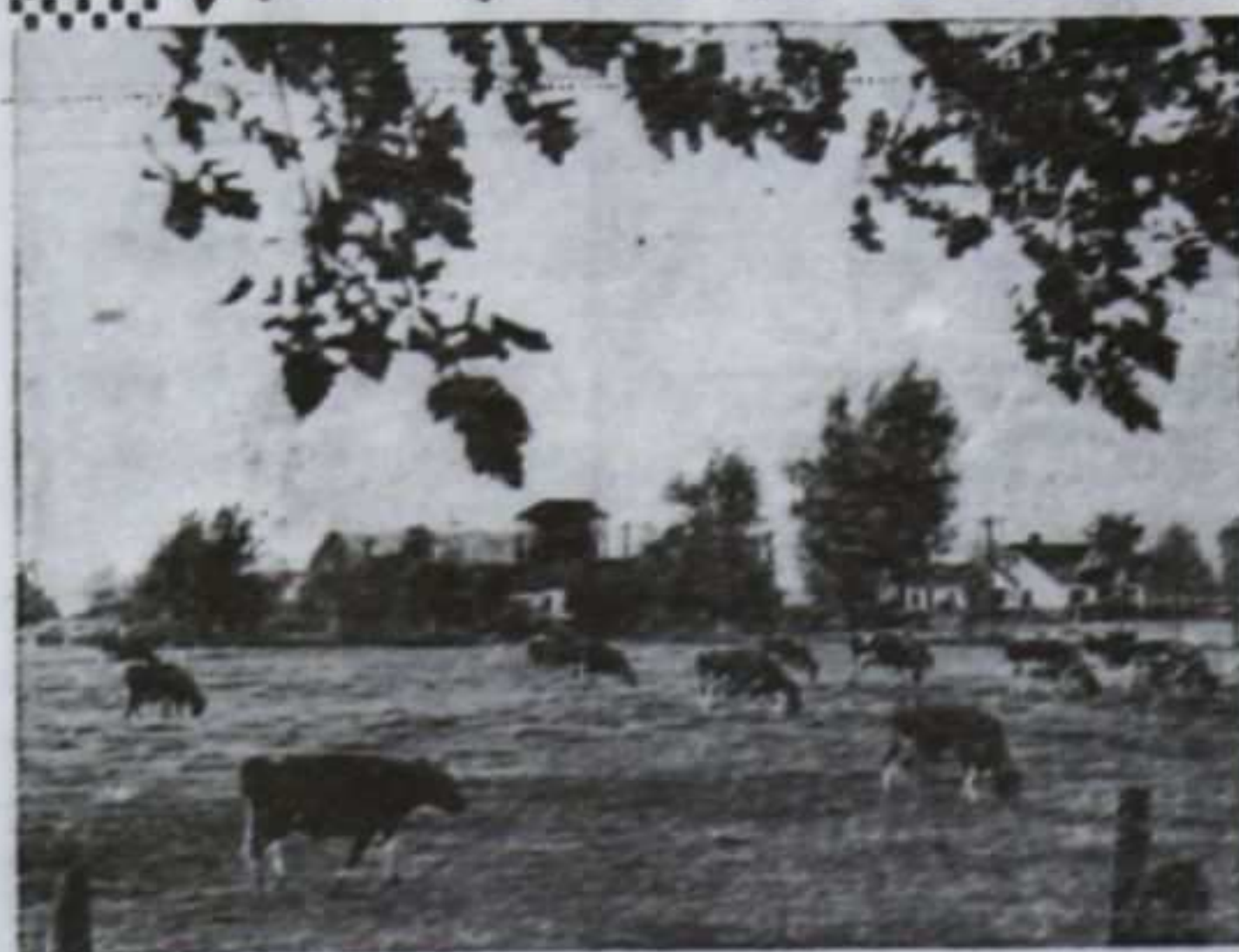
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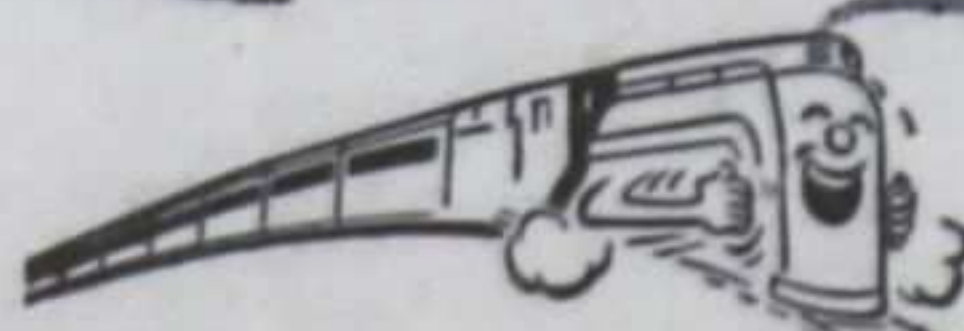
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Trinity United

Mrs. G. I. Stephenson, Tintern, was the guest speaker at the May meeting of the W.M.S. of Trinity United Church, outlining a program entitled "The Christian Home," prepared by Mrs. Homer Brown, a missionary in West China. Mrs. Stephenson presented ideas with which every woman in charge of a home should have some familiarity. The need of co-operation, self-discipline and the guidance of children in creating and choosing.

"God's greatest attributes, are His forgiveness and loving kindness, and in our quiet moments of meditation, He reveals Himself and gives understanding," concluded the speaker.

Rising prices have a way of getting a rise out of a man.

Shower

Bride-elect Jessie Mowat, has been the recipient of many beautiful and practical gifts during the past week, two showers having been held by her many friends.

Campden Services

Of particular interest to the Campden district, are the special Gospel meetings being conducted in the Community Hall nightly (except Saturday) at 8 o'clock. Sunday at 7.30 by Mr. Robt. Booth, Toronto and Mr. Geo. L. Shivas, Grimsby.

A hearty invitation is extended to all.

Memorial Window Unveiled

Trinity United Church was the scene on Sunday morning of the unveiling of a Soldiers Memorial Window, presented to the Church by the Women's Association.

The edifice which already has many beautiful windows, depicting scenes of a religious nature, is now enhanced by another beautiful window, especially fitting to the cause, for it is a memorial window in honour of those who fell in both wars. The scene depicted shows Christ offering a golden crown to a knight in armour, holding his sword across his knees, in peaceful submission for his work well done, as he steps from the River of Life, and is rewarded with a golden crown for his sword. Such is the actual theme, and it reverently portrays the young men of the Church who lost their lives as they took up the sword to defend their country both in the Great War and in the war recently ended.

The guest speaker was Major Rev. S. B. East, who along with the pastor Rev. Walter C. Almack, conducted the impressive services, and special music was rendered by the Trinity Choir, under the direction of Mr. Wm. F. Tufford, L.T.C.I. (Eng.). The presentation was made on behalf of the Women's Association by Mrs. C. J. Freeman, and accepted by Mr. George Shepherd of the Board of Trustees.

"In the faith of our Lord Jesus Christ, we dedicate this memorial to the Glory of God, and in loving memory of the following men who gave their lives in the Two Great Wars."

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1939-45—R. L. Miln, A. L. Logan, J. B. Stallwood, O. J. Thorpe, T. H. Page.

Stuff Round Town



by GORD MCGREGOR

Deer me. Now its deer in the Village. Bill Harper reports that a large deer (sex undetermined) was galavanting around his property on Hixon Street last Saturday night.

All existing records were believed to be shattered on Sunday when traffic was extremely heavy. Provincial Constable Ted Hope reports that fifty cars passed a given point on the Q. E. in one and a half minutes. All going west. This would figure out to about two thousand per hour. Put the two highways count together and the twenty three hundred record would be shattered.

The residence of the late J. W. Kennedy, Esq., was the scene of one of the largest auction sales seen around these parts in a long time. Even in a drizzling rain the large crowd tried to keep track of things, when "Good" Pettigrew and Will Tufford both opened up a fast sale of seemingly unexhaustable items.

"Don't Cuss—Call Us" but you can quote me as saying that a well known service station operator is going to relieve himself of his duties along about June 15th. More about this next week.

After seeing the brick that has been laid for the Beam Theatre, I think even I could do a better job. GOOD bricklayers are hard to find. And they are still looking.

The Beamsville Citizens Band is going to help the High School Cadets put their inspection day ceremonies over in fine fashion.

If King Paving trucks all moved as slow as the one the "strong man" moved, their job would last a lot longer. What a way to make a living.

Gas dropped half a cent. Wait 'till Lewis hears about that.

Its going to rain soon. There was a ring around the moon Monday night. And of course—on the other hand, we have four fingers and a thumb. That we believe.

News From BEAMSVILLE High School

by Little Whozit

Another week closer to the Cadet Dance. May 17th is the day of the big event.

Speaking of cadet dances, last Friday night Smithville High held its annual hop, and several invitations were sent to B.H.V.S.—Thanks, Smithville, those that attended say it was a posh affair. Saturday night saw several guys and gals leave the village for more exciting haunts, including the William Street belle, who was nicely escorted. Five other gals made a jaunt in their grey Chev, and their hop across the ditch must have been disappointing when it was discovered that two guys from B.H.V.S. were in on the trip. Pin 'em down gals, you'll save scads of gasoline.

I'm sure nearly all the students have noticed the nouveau coiffure of one of our French teachers—hubba-hubba! Only please "Dunc"—don't lower the bangs any further.

Right here I'd like to express on behalf of all the students sincere thanks to Barb Robb for taking a good deal of her time to order school rings and pins for us, also for the sending of same. Thanks a million Barb—all of us really appreciate it.

Friday nite saw the Beacon and the Henley well represented with green and golders. Who was the ex-student that escorted "Shep" to the Beacon? My! My!

Sorry to hear the wires on Hugh's car were disconnected, must have been boring for the gal. Speaking of the Henley, could that little waitress be the big attraction for the guys, who go stag.

NOTICE TO ALL HOG BUYERS IN ONTARIO

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TOWN COUNCIL

The estimated cost of reconstruction of the plant with new additions, machinery, etc., would be \$50,700. This amount spread over 15 year debentures at three per cent would make a total cost of \$110,205, with an annual yearly payment of \$7,347. This plant would have sufficient capacity to take care of all new sewers, that may be built.

Mr. MacLaren advised that all future sewers be of two types, a sanitary sewer that emptied into the disposal plant and storm sewer that would run directly into the creek independent of the plant. He submitted cost of sanitary sewers for seven different areas at \$123,455, also storm sewers for eight areas at \$108,348.

Yearly operating and maintenance costs of the reconstructed disposal plant are estimated at \$6,000.

A bylaw to licence and regulate the operation of taxicabs in the town was given two readings and laid over until the June meeting.

Gray Coach Lines notified Council that they had re-instructed their drivers that they must abide by the legal speed limits in Grimsby and other municipalities.

Canada Coach Lines also wrote Council to the same effect and went further by stating that they had informed their drivers that where they were prosecuted for infractions of legal speed regulations, that they would have to pay their own fines.

Tax Collector Fred Jewson reported that in the month of April current and arrears of taxes including penalties totalled \$16,067, as compared to \$9,027 in the same month in 1945. Current taxes amounted to \$15,840; From January 1st to April 30th, total taxes collected were \$37,677, as compared to \$34,481, during the same period in 1945.

April report of Chief of Police W. W. Turner showed three charges under the Traffic bylaw; 22 complaints investigated; two tenants warned for keeping disorderly house; one place searched for liquor; dog taxes collected \$47.

Mayor Bull reported that he had negotiations under way, through N. J. M. Lockhart, M.P., to secure a quantity of steel, interlocking piling for use at the pump house to try and prevent further lake erosion damage.

Carrolls Limited was granted a cigarette and tobacco license.

Joint fire committee accounts for \$43 were passed.

Henry Hillier was appointed Weed Inspector at a salary of \$50.

Relief accounts for April totalled \$45.

Jack Slade made application for a permit for the erection of a new garage building on Main west, at a cost of \$5,000. The building to be 30 x 60 built of cement blocks.

General accounts for \$1,637 were ordered paid.

Council adjourned at midnight.

Around The GRIMSBY High School

JANIE

The students of G.H.S. were given a very special treat on Tuesday afternoon, not soon to be forgotten—Mr. Wilson MacDonald, one of Canada's outstanding poets, giving a poetical recital. Ten years ago, he began the preparation of a group of Biblical Poems, these great works are now completed in book form, "Greater Poems of the Bible". A selection from this book was recited by Mr. MacDonald entitled "Song of Creation" in which a number of the G.H.S. choir sang parts of it. Some of the other parts enjoyed immensely by the poems and students were his well guests satires from the "Caw-Caw known". The Home Economics Ballads Grade 9 served lunch to Class of - who were given a the visitor, Mr. MacDonald.

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basketball court was An outset before the holidays, completed Mr. Awde and G.H.S. thanks to who spent the holidays sports fasome straight shots that developndy in the league next will be handy season.

walls of G.H.S. Music is filling the for the an-as students practioctivati which nual Blossom Time an affair promises to be quite a young especially since some of 1. That men's choir are back agars of explains the large numberen-G.H.S. damsels attending the even-practices or is it pure love of music.

Easter holidays gave a group of G.H.S. students "tomatoes" that rosy tint or is it just a cultivated blush? Anyway these girls (and



REAL ESTATE

Thos. Fearn has purchased the Cecil Hildreth house and lot at 18 John street and has taken possession.

Through the C. J. DeLaPlante agency, Mrs. Helen Appleyard of Peterboro, has purchased the beautiful home and one acre of land on the south-east corner of No. 8 Highway and Park Road from Alex J. Young.

Winifred Congdon, Realtor, has just sold the very attractive residence, with landscaped garden, and some acreage located on No. 8 Highway, Beamsville west, now owned by C. E. Blackmore to E. R. Baxter, Niagara Falls, N.Y. Although the residence is quite modern, Mr. Baxter intends making further improvements.

boys) did their bit in grape tying—by the looks of the blisters on those lily white hands!

FLASH! Arthur Bryden at St. Catharines Tuesday night won a hundred dollar scholarship second prize in the Lions Club Oratorical contest—more fame and glory brought to G.H.S. thanks to him. Congratulations.

County Town Has Burst Of Growth

Building permits in the city of St. Catharines are already approaching the million dollar mark.

Permits for the month of April totalled \$1, of which 34 were for dwellings. The total was \$307,550, bringing the total for the first four months to \$855,675.

Permits to the end of April last year totalled \$331,495. Permits included a \$60,000 bakery and warehouse for Mammy's Bread, a \$40,000 plant at McKinnon Industries, Critelli's warehouse at \$20,000 and Campbell's Tire Shop at \$12,000.

A permit has also been taken out for alterations to the Granada Theatre at \$10,000.

Vandals Steal Traffic Counter

Take The Whole Works Including Pole Chain—Reflector Signs May Have To Be Removed Entirely.

Last week The Independent told about vandals stealing light brackets, bulbs, protective cages, tubing and electric wiring from poles on the Queen Elizabeth Way.

We also told you about the installation of automatic traffic counters along both the Queen Elizabeth and No. 8 Highway.

Now it comes to light that thieves are not only stealing the lighting equipment but they have purloined one of the counters. This machine was located on No. 20A Highway at Stoney Creek and the culprit took the whole works, clock batteries, piping and even the chain that bound the machine to a pole.

Department of Highway officials also disclose the fact that a sign repair crew, repairing mutilated and damaged signs along the Queen Elizabeth Way between Niagara Falls and Hamilton Beach, a distance of about 41 miles, has had to replace over 3,000 of the glass-like buttons in the reflectorized signs which had either been removed or smashed.

Pointing out that vandalism had driven the red reflector signs off the highways, the spokesman asserted that it may become necessary to do away with modern reflectorized signs now in use which were erected for the safety of the motoring public.

Pay Visit To County Council

Representatives from the St. Catharines City Council paid a courtesy visit to the General Administration Committee of the Lincoln County Council at a meeting held last Friday night in the county building.

Reeve R. A. Saunders, chairman of the Committee, acted as guide for the St. Catharines councillors on a tour of the building when the gathering viewed the changes and redecorating being made at present.

At the business meeting of the Committee, the members decided to purchase tear gas equipment for the county goal and to replace wire protective screening on the James St. side of the goal. New lighting fixtures will be placed in the registry office and certain items of furniture such as stools and coat racks will be purchased in the immediate future.

An orator is the man who quotes that part of history which supports his claims.

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Boy Scouts

The old faithfuls still find time for scouting. The meeting opened around the High School Flag Pole when Peter Phelps and Dave Pickett carried the colours. We were told that Lady Baden-Powell, widow of the late Lord Baden-Powell of Gilwell, the Founder of Scouting, will visit Hamilton on Saturday, June 8th. Four boys from our troop were at the Hospital last Saturday cleaning up the lawn. This netted each patrol five points per boy. We were urged to have some more of the boys go up again this Saturday to complete the task. A real inspiring game of Baseball took place. This was modelled after a professional game but played amateurs. We had to practically call in a new umpire but no one under took to follow the suggestion of "kill the umpire". Well all good things come to an end including this item.

Ceiling Price Is Off Strawberries

Ottawa, May 7.—Fresh strawberries and raspberries, which have been subject to maximum price regulations for the last two years, will have no ceilings imposed this season, the Wartime Price and Trade Board announced here today.

Favourable growing conditions give every indication that production will be increased considerably over the last two years, the board said.

Strawberry and raspberry jams are still under price control and, with satisfactory growing and harvesting conditions, there should be no serious difficulty on the part of jam manufacturers in procuring sufficient berries to balance their available supplies of sugar, it was stated.

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